### PROJECT LIST FOR FISCAL YEAR 2004

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# Interagency Committee for Outdoor Recreation

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### INTRODUCTION

### The Washington Wildlife and Recreation Program (WWRP)

WWRP was established by the Legislature in 1990 in response to increasing public demand for outdoor recreation land and growing concerns about loss of wildlife habitat. The primary goal of the program is "to acquire as soon as possible the most significant lands for wildlife conservation and outdoor recreation purposes before they are converted to other uses, and to develop existing public recreational land and facilities to meet the needs of present and future generations." (RCW 79A.15.005)

Since 1990, over \$360 million has been appropriated by the Legislature, resulting in thousands of acres of valuable wildlife habitat and some of the state's best recreation lands being placed into public protection. Many new recreational facilities have been provided, including neighborhood parks, ball fields, greenways, and hundreds of miles of trails for walking and biking.

The WWRP is administered by the Interagency Committee for Outdoor Recreation (IAC), an eight-member board consisting of five citizen members appointed by the Governor, together with the Commissioner of Public Lands, Director of Fish and Wildlife, and Director of the Parks and Recreation Commission. The Committee, through its professional staff and director, oversees a number of grant programs and is also responsible for statewide recreation and open space planning.

### STATUTORY REQUIREMENTS

WWRP funding primarily comes from the sale of state general obligation bonds. State and local agencies qualify for WWRP grants. Local agencies include counties, cities, towns, port districts, tribes, park and recreation districts, and school districts. A fifty percent match is required from local agencies. As required by statute, funds are distributed equally to two accounts: the Outdoor Recreation Account and Habitat Conservation Account. These accounts are in turn divided into a number of funding categories, each with its own statutory requirements.

### The Outdoor Recreation Account is divided into four categories:

- 25 percent for acquisition, development, and renovation of local parks (at least 50 percent must be for land acquisition; open only to local agencies);
- 25 percent for acquisition and development of state parks (at least 75 percent must be for land acquisition; open only to State Parks and Recreation Commission projects);
- 15 percent for acquisition and development of trails (open to both local and state agencies);
- 10 percent for acquisition and development of water access sites (at least
   75 percent must be for acquisition; open to both local and state agencies);
- the remaining 25 percent is classified as unallocated and is distributed by IAC to state and local agencies for high priority acquisition and development needs in the above categories.

#### The **Habitat Conservation Account** is divided into three categories:

- 35 percent for the acquisition and development of critical habitat (open only to state agencies);
- 20 percent for the acquisition and development of natural areas (open only to state agencies);
- 15 percent for the acquisition and development of urban wildlife habitat (open to both local and state agencies);
- the remaining 30 percent is classified as **unallocated** and is distributed by IAC to local and state agencies for high priority acquisition and development needs in the above categories.

### PROGRAM FUNDING

The WWRP has proven to be a popular and successful program. This has been demonstrated by the large number of agencies which participate each year in the highly competitive and demanding application process. In the current grant cycle (FY 2004), four state and 51 local agencies applied for WWRP funding for 118 projects, totaling over \$115.0 million.

For the 2003-2005 biennial capital budget for WWRP a \$30 million dollar appropriation is recommended by Governor Locke. Based on this request, the Governor is presenting to the Legislature for approval a list of primary and alternate projects for the first year (FY 2004). The first year is comprised of 43 local and state agency primary projects totaling \$29.1 million, matched by \$25.4 million. Additionally, 75 alternate<sup>1</sup> projects are included for approval.

Consistent with the statutory requirement to reserve a portion of the total WWRP appropriation for the second year of the biennium, principally for local governments, IAC has reserved \$937,500 of the \$30 million requested. During the summer of 2003, local government project sponsors will enter into a "second-year" (FY 2005) competition for Local Parks Acquisition. The Governor and Legislature will be provided a second-year list of projects for consideration during the 2004 legislative session.

As provided by statute, the Governor and Legislature can remove, but not add, projects to the IAC-recommended list of projects.

The Directory of WWRP Local Parks Projects, which follows, is the result of the highly competitive "first-year competition" process.

The alternate project list is used, in rank order, when a project on the primary list cannot be undertaken or is completed below budget. Past history of the program indicates that a small percentage of the alternate projects will be funded.

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### Washington Wildlife and Recreation Program

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The project cost and acres to be acquired in some cases are estimates only and may change as the projects near completion. Alternate projects may be funded, over time, if primary projects on the list cannot be undertaken or are completed under budget.

Local Parks Project Sponsor and Name	WWRP Share	Sponsor Share	Total Cost
Total Recommended	\$4,312,500	\$11,389,447	\$15,701,947
Total Alternates	\$6,766,447	\$17,167,740	\$23,934,187

# Pierce County Parks & Rec \$275,000 \$275,000 \$550,000 Sprinker Skate Park

Pierce County Parks and Recreation is requesting funds to add an additional sports facility to the active portion of Sprinker Recreation Center. This grant will be used to construct a state of the art 25,000 square foot concrete skate park with both street and free form courses. The park will provide a separate skate area for those who are learning to skate. Bleachers will be provided for special skateboard events and contests. The park is designed to provide challenges for all skill levels ranging from beginners to professional.

Recreation features included in the skate area are: a family activity area with shade structures, picnic tables and other seating, a barrier-free pathway, and bleachers for viewing contests. Landscaping will include grass mounding which will be made from the excess soil created by the cut and fill work. This mounding will give the park a sculptured effect. Safe access to the park will be provided from adjacent "C" Street, and from the main parking area off Military Road. (02-1372D-FY04)

# Continued: Kennewick Parks & Rec Dept \$300,000 \$300,000 \$600,000 Highlands Grange Park Improvements

This project continues development of Kennewick's newest community park--Highlands Grange Park. The project includes: irrigation and seeding the last 2.5 acres of the site, landscaping, asphalt walking trails, concrete walkways, associated benches and trash receptacles, youth softball backstop, portable soccer goals, a small parking lot to service the athletic fields, double tennis court, basketball courts, a zero-depth splash playground, two picnic shelters, and scattered picnic tables.

One of the highest priority needs in Kennewick's Park and Recreation Plan is for continued development and completion of the park. This newer neighborhood is nearing build-out. While the park's current developed area meets the City's minimal goals for open space, the park needs the amenities to meet the recreational and leisure needs of the community. (02-1149D-FY04)

# City of Lakewood \$117,000 \$117,000 \$234,000 Springbrook Park Expansion

The City of Lakewood is requesting funds to acquire 1.17 acres of park land in the Springbrook area. The city owns two parcels of land in the area, one on each side of this property. The subject parcel separates the park properties restricting the city's ability to connect park lands and allow residents easy access to both sites. By purchasing this site, park land in this area will increase by 20% and connect all three parcels. Future improvements will physically connect the park sites, expand the park, and provide recreational opportunities.

The Springbrook area is bordered by I-5, McChord Air Force Base and Clover Creek, making it Lakewood's most physically and economically isolated area. Seventy seven percent of the residents in this area are considered low/moderate income. There are no schools located in the vicinity, further limiting available outdoor recreation space. Springbrook Park is the only developed open space resource for this community. If this site is sold to a developer, apartments will be built and the ability to connect the two small park areas will be lost forever. (02-1367A-FY04)

### City of Brewster \$56,250 \$56,250 \$112,500 Brewster Soccer Fields

This development project in Okanogan County expands local soccer opportunities in Brewster, by constructing two soccer fields and restrooms. City residents recently placed top priority on conversion of a multiple-use field into two soccer fields to support an ever-growing number of teams.

Despite having well over twenty teams, the city has never had true regulation soccer fields. Teams must compete for space on the multiple-use field, formerly used by the high school for football and track. That field is now in very poor condition. To convert the existing field, the inadequate irrigation system will be replaced; the old track will be filled; the entire area will be treated with sand and topsoil; and a new playing surface will be laid with sod and hydro-seed. New, barrier-free accessible restrooms will be added.

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At the inception of the city's youth soccer program, kids worked many hours to raise money to get a team off the ground. The testament to the team's success came in 1996 when they took state championship. Since then, the high school has begun to offer boys and girls soccer programs. Soccer fields with nearby restrooms will enable the community to host tournaments. Most importantly, the project will give soccer a home. (02-1035D-FY04)

### City of Marcus \$18,000 \$18,000 \$36,000 Marcus Central Park

This project in Stevens County will provide active sports opportunities in the small community of Marcus. In response to citizen need for more recreational opportunities, the town will develop a new ballfield and renovate a deteriorating tennis court in Central Park (formerly the town's old school site). In 1977, the town began making plans for purchasing its historic school site with the intent of developing a town square, park, and public building site for increased recreational opportunities for residents and visitors. In 2001, the Town was able to finally purchase the ten-acre site (including the old school gymnasium) for \$210,000.

To initiate the redevelopment and enhancement of this property, the town will develop a new ballfield and repair the tennis courts. Residents are excited about this improved recreational facility and many are planning to offer their time, dedication, and hard work (by way of equipment, materials, and labor) to make this project a successful one. (02-1227D-FY04)

# City of Prosser \$60,000 \$60,000 \$120,000 Prosser Skatepark - Phase 1

This project in the Benton County city of Prosser will construct a skate park facility in the existing E.J. Miller Park. Presently there are no public areas or skate parks where skating is allowed within a forty mile radius of Prosser. The lack of a facility has generated property damage and public nuisance issues. In addition to providing much needed recreation, this skate park will help improve relations among area youth, businesses, homeowners, and law enforcement. This safe, drug free environment will make good use of the park's existing facilities including parking, lighting, and a restroom. The park will be constructed of concrete, which is extremely maintenance free. By offering popular recreation activities, the park facilities will combat the lack of recreational opportunities in a rural setting that includes migrant and low income families.

Phase One of this facility will include: construction of a series of ramps, benches, and other terrain specific to these sports. Future phases of the project will include the addition of other skating apparatus and park amenities. The park will be free to the public and its design will accommodate both beginning and more experienced skaters. (02-1307D-FY04)

# Continued: City of Port Townsend \$200,000 \$200,000 \$400,000 Monroe Street Skate Park

This project will provide an exciting recreational opportunity for Port Townsend youth. Construction of a permanent skate park facility has been a community goal for several years and is listed as a priority in the parks and recreation plan. The site has been used as a temporary skate park since 1994 and the time has come to create a permanent home for this popular activity. This project enjoys widespread support in the community, including downtown businesses.

Port Townsend is a popular destination for families during summer months, and the skate park will be a welcome addition to the many passive recreation opportunities in the area. Benefits include a great location that allows parents to shop downtown while the kids enjoy a popular (and free) recreational activity. The site is also on a bus route, so users can access the park at minimal transportation costs. Youth can ride free in the downtown area. Existing street parking allows the city to maximize the area dedicated to the actual skating features. (02-1301D-FY04)

# Vancouver Parks & Rec Dept \$300,000 \$1,879,815 \$2,179,815 Haagen Park

This project in Clark County involves constructing and improving a 29.5-acre community park in a heavily developed residential area one mile east of the I-205 corridor in Vancouver. The service area includes seven neighborhoods and over 18,000 people. Haagen is the only community park in the service area and provides the only opportunity for a park of this size due to the level of development in the surrounding neighborhoods.

In 2000, the city of Vancouver started park development by installing play equipment, three picnic tables, and a small playfield on 4.5 acres at the northwest corner of the project site. The remaining twenty-five acres include a mix of meadows and Douglas fir forest that are ideally suited to community park facilities. The planned improvements include sports fields, hiking and biking trails, play equipment, picnic tables, restrooms, parking, signing, and lighting. The project is located two blocks north of property dedicated for a community center that will include a swimming pool, library, police substation, and other complementary facilities. The city will provide eighty-six percent of the total park project cost. (02-1196D-FY04)

### Lynnwood Parks & Rec \$295,075 \$1,879,000 \$2,174,075 Tutmark Hill Community Park

This acquisition project in Snohomish County is located in the Tutmark Hill neighborhood in Lynnwood. The city is obtaining property in this area for community park development. This project will acquire an additional twelve acres to serve several neighborhoods. The new park will be focused on meeting the area's recreation needs with active facilities such as ballfields, sport courts and play equipment, along with passive areas for trails and picnicking. The property is mostly flat, sparsely vegetated, and ideally suited to active park development. Acquisition would conserve this open space for public use and help preserve the cultural/historical essence of Tutmark Hill.

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This project would provide existing and future residents with a needed recreation facility and a connection to both the Interurban Trail and the county's planned

Three Creeks Trail. The nearest park, Martha Lake Park, is primarily a passive facility, located approximately one mile away. The nearest active-use facility is Lynnwood High School, on the other side of Interstate 5. This project is supported by Snohomish County, South Snohomish County Preservation Association, Martha Lake Community Club, Alderwood Manor Heritage Association, area homeowners groups, and the property's owners. Snohomish County Neighborhood Improvement and real estate excise tax funds are available as matching funds. (02-1117A-FY04)

### City of Lacey \$300,000 \$3,067,706 \$3,367,706 Rainier Vista Community Park Development

The city of Lacey's Rainier Vista Community Park will be developed for a variety of active recreational uses. Improvements include: three baseball/softball fields; three soccer fields; picnic facilities and shelter; playgrounds for pre-school and elementary age children; barrier-free walkways; tennis and basketball courts; parking, restrooms; general landscaping; and the only skateboard facility in Lacey. The proposed park's development will meet some of the highest rated needs identified in the city's outdoor recreation plan. Those needs include: development of property in city ownership; development of athletic fields; and provisions for general community park elements such as playgrounds and picnic facilities.

There has been a high level of public and private support for the project. In 2002, Lacey voters approved a bond issue to help develop this park and provide local matching funds. As a result, Rainier Vista will be the only fully developed community park in this Thurston County community. Key assistance for the park has included a "readiness training program" by the 864th Construction Combat Engineers from Fort Lewis. The Army has helped with major earthmoving efforts, resulting in over 600 hours of training and a savings of \$500,000 to the city. (02-1268D-FY04)

### Montesano Parks & Rec Dept \$300,000 \$929,152 \$1,229,152 Montesano Community Park Development

This project in Grays Harbor County begins construction of the first community park in the city of Montesano. The thirty-two acre site allows for a great mix of active and passive recreation. The project will focus on the city's most immediate and critical need for practice and game-quality athletic fields. Development includes one adult and two youth baseball/softball fields, with one adult and two youth-sized soccer field overlays. Parking, utilities, and pathways will also be installed.

Future development will include field lighting to maximize usage, a restroom facility with concession and storage, maintenance building, picnic shelter, playground, basketball court, wetland interpretive trails, and landscaping. Ultimately, the city expects this facility to serve as a regional destination park with something for all ages and interests. (02-1211D-FY04)

### Continued: City of Lacey \$275,000 \$544,920 \$819,920

#### **Wonderwood Community Park**

The city of Lacey's Wonderwood Park proposal includes both new construction and rehabilitation of facilities. After thirty years of heavy use at this popular park, Lacey seeks to replace park facilities and add amenities to meet new service demands. In 2002, Lacey voters approved bond funds to help refurbish the park. Lacey has only five partially developed parks (70 developed acres) for this community of 32,000.

The rehabilitation efforts will include: full reconstruction of two old wooden restrooms that are structurally unsound; reconfiguration of the southern parking lot for better circulation and control; addition of twenty five additional parking stalls; relocation of underground utilities; replacing the infield surface of two youth baseball/softball fields; and resurfacing asphalt walkways. New construction will include: a restroom adjacent to the two athletic fields; a picnic shelter and equipment; 1,800 feet of asphalt walkway; two new park entrance signs; a security gate for the parking lot; and a new separate playground equipped for preschool children. (02-1270D-FY04)

# Vancouver Parks & Rec Dept \$241,141 \$241,141 \$482,282 Maple Crest Park

This acquisition project by the city of Vancouver will be the basis for a 4.27-acre neighborhood park in a rapidly growing residential area known as Maple Crest. This project provides the only park site in the Maple Crest service area. The site includes gently rolling terrain with mature Douglas fir along the south boundary and is ideal for neighborhood park development. Future improvements will include walkways, play equipment, picnic tables, a sports court, and open play meadows.

The property was acquired under a waiver of retroactivity due to imminent threat of conversion to residential development. Based on city standards, this project will address forty-six percent of the existing need for neighborhood parks in the service area. (02-1183A-FY04)

# City of Buckley \$235,225 \$235,225 \$470,450 Buckley/White River Multi-Use Skate Park

This project in eastern Pierce County will create opportunities for residents of Buckley and surrounding areas such as Bonney Lake, Wilkeson, South Prairie, and Carbonado to access multiple-use youth and recreational facilities. The facility will install a playground area with equipment and a seated viewing area and skate park. It will serve the needs of skateboarders, roller bladers, and BMX bike riders. Additional features include a picnic area, paved parking, restroom facilities, a kiosk, and extensive landscaping. In the 1996 Buckley Park & Recreation Plan, the majority of survey respondents stated that additional park facilities are needed for active recreation. Respondents also indicated that the under-18 age group is in the greatest need of active recreation facilities, skateboarding, and bicycling opportunities.

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The park is directly adjacent to, and accessible from, the heavily-used Foothills Trail and State Route 410. The site is highly visible from all directions, located directly across from the public works facility and within two blocks of the police/fire departments. This park will fill a very large need in the area for outdoor recreation in a safe and accessible location as well as protect the historical significance, beauty and scenic environment of the abandoned railroad right of way that is now the State Route 410 corridor through Buckley. Buckley is donating the property for park purposes, valued at over \$500,000. (02-1296D-FY04)

### Skagit County Parks & Rec \$150,000 \$165,000 \$315,000 Custer Field Renovation

This project in Skagit County improves an existing softball field at Skagit Playfields ("Custer Field") that has insufficient drainage, poor turf quality, and no lighting. The renovation work will include leveling, adding a sand layer, drainage, fencing, backstops, dugouts, and installation of field lighting. The county expects these changes to increase the length of the playing season and improve the quality of the play environment. The renovation will save maintenance costs as well as allowing more efficient tractor mowers to be used. Additionally, the improvement of this field will contribute economically to the community in tourism dollars generated on tournament weekends.

Skagit Playfields Complex is part of an inter-local agreement signed in 1978 between Skagit County and Skagit Valley College. This project is supported and utilized by a number of organizations. Skagit County Parks and Recreation uses this field for many of its league games and Skagit Valley College schedules several levels of collegiate play there. The Skagit Valley Softball Association, a non-profit organization, has offered \$75,000 in support. (02-1311D-FY04)

### Town of Twisp \$35,000 \$35,000 \$70,000 Twisp Park Playground & Basketball Court

The town of Twisp, in Okanogan County, proposes to create a full-service facility at its local park by renovating the existing playground and basketball court. This will enhance the park's facilities, which include a pool, band shelter, and picnic shelter.

The current playground and basketball court are unsafe and inadequate for the needs of the community. The playground does not meet current safety and accessibility requirements, it is small, and it is not age appropriate for toddlers. The popular basketball court has a badly cracked surface. Twisp will construct a new playground that will be age appropriate for toddler to school age children and which will stand up to weather conditions, especially the cold winters. The basketball court will be resurfaced with a rubberized material that will be more safe and functional. A barrier-free accessible path from the parking lot to the play area will also be built. (02-1329D-FY04)

# Continued: Clark County Parks Dept \$277,866 \$277,866 \$555,732 Salmon Creek Park Development

This project in Clark County will provide a variety of new recreation facilities at Salmon Creek Regional Park, located five miles north of downtown Vancouver. Improvements will include two picnic shelters, a fishing dock, hiking and biking trails, play equipment, a paddleboat dock, two viewpoints, and a water play feature for kids.

The work site covers forty acres at the eastern end of a 600-acre regional park and greenway system. This site was initially developed in the late 1970s, and included reclamation of a defunct gravel mine. Restored features include Klineline Pond, a nine-acre lake which has become one of Clark County's most heavily used swimming and fishing areas. The pond provides a year-round trout fishery and has the only swimming beach with lifeguards in Clark County. This park is located inside the heavily populated Vancouver urban area. It attracts over 75,000 visitors each year. (02-1213D-FY04)

# Town of Winthrop \$375,000 \$426,000 \$801,000 Winthrop Community Park and Ice Rink

This project in Okanogan County addresses two long term priorities for the Town of Winthrop - acquisition of an ideal piece of park land and construction of a permanent ice rink and outdoor sports court. For ten years the local ice rink association has erected a temporary ice rink each winter. The rink has been immensely popular with both residents and visitors. The temporary location, however, is by no means ideal and the amount of labor and resources required to set up and take down the rink each year points to a need for a permanent refrigerated rink. The new rink will also provide a court surface for summer activities.

Winthrop is a small community with limited resources, yet each year it hosts a flood of visitors. Year-round outdoor recreation is key to the town's appeal. The property to be acquired is centrally located in Winthrop. In addition to providing a home for the ice rink, the new park area would serve as an ideal trailhead for the Methow Valley Community Trail. This project pulls together and achieves the top priorities of several Town planning efforts, and is a partnership with the Methow Valley Sport Trail Association and Winthrop Ice and Sports Rink Association. (02-1047C-FY04)

# Kent Parks Rec & Comm Serv \$275,660 \$275,661 \$551,321 Morrill Meadows/E. Hill Park Connection

This acquisition project by the city of Kent protects 3.17 acres to expand and connect East Hill and Morrill Meadows Parks, two existing parks. The acquisition of these properties has long been a priority for the city's Parks Department in order to create a community park to serve this rapidly growing area, which is currently deficient in park facilities.

Future development will include installation of barrier-free accessible walking trails, a multiple-purpose softball/soccer area, two pickle ball courts, a second tennis court, and a picnic shelter/restroom facility. This project will help meet the needs of East Hill residents for parks and outdoor recreation. (02-1175A-FY04)

# Continued: Kennewick Parks & Rec Dept \$100,000 \$100,000 \$200,000 Zintel Canyon Greenway (7th - Anderson)

This project continues development of Kennewick's lineal park in Zintel Canyon. Initial construction will include 1,900 linear feet of a hard surfaced eight-foot wide walking, jogging, leisure-cycling and nature trail. The trail is located along Zintel Canyon, a ravine in the heart of the city. Irrigation water that runs down the canyon six months of the year has created a unique wetland in this arid climate. The walkway will open the canyon up for all to enjoy this beautiful, natural area.

The ultimate plan is for expansion of the trail to 1.5 miles, with landscaped areas at each end with picnic sites and trailhead signs. The present proposal includes construction of the trail, picnic sites, a playground, parking, and other park amenities. A local volunteer group has signed a license agreement to adopt the canyon for development and maintenance. Over the last five years the volunteers have donated about 1,000 hours of labor annually. They have committed to help with this project by building a picnic shelter. (02-1151D-FY04)

### City of Benton City \$97,728 \$105,000 \$202,728 Benton City Skate Park

This development project in Benton County creates an active use play area for youth. The Benton City Council was approached by many local youth requesting the construction of a skate park. The Council approved the idea and has dedicated a portion of an existing city park for the proposed site. The local asphalt company has since offered to donate labor and equipment to perform all of the necessary earthwork on the project. The City will use this generous donation for the local matching share.

The skate facility will consist of an 80 foot by 120 foot multi-level concrete slab. Proposed features include rails, stairs, half-pipe and quarter pipe ramps, and other assorted ramps that will be movable. Amenities will include lighting, landscaping, fencing, a walkway, signs, and benches. Additional funding through a commemorative brick drive is being spearheaded by the City Council and the youths. Each donor will have an inscription engraved on a brick that will be incorporated into the pathway to the skate facility. (02-1236D-FY04)

# Bellingham Parks & Rec Dept \$28,555 \$201,711 \$230,266 Squalicum Fields Acquisition

This acquisition in the city of Bellingham will create a major athletic field and park complex and protect important habitat for salmon. The 42 acre site will result in a facility blending active sports with restored natural areas and passive recreation. It will connect residential areas with trails and function as an element of the Squalicum and Bay-to-Baker Trail Greenways. The project will expand an existing park and trail system, creating an assembly of over 47 acres. A secondary objective is to protect, preserve, and enhance the riparian lands on Squalicum Way -- an important scenic drive along Squalicum Creek, Bellingham's most productive salmon stream.

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The site is centrally located in the urban area and can be well served by transit, trails, and a major arterial street. The main 35-acre tract is a former sand and gravel pit mined to form a well-drained, amphitheater-like "bowl" with vertical separation from the surrounding neighborhoods. A significant water right and extensive springs can be used for water features, operations and fishery enhancements. The site is ideal for athletic fields, and also offers a setting of restored wetlands, forested slopes, fishways, fish and wildlife habitat, and trails. (02-1339A-FY04)

#### Alternates:

# Bellingham Parks & Rec Dept \$471,445 \$3,330,277 \$3,801,722 Squalicum Fields Acquisition

Completion of this acquisition in the city of Bellingham. (02-1339A-FY04)

# Bothell Parks & Recreation \$300,000 \$644,841 \$944,841 Cedar Grove Park Development Ph. 1

This development project is for Cedar Grove Park, a community park in the northern portion of Bothell, in Snohomish County. The park is being developed in two phases: Phase One (this application) will include construction of a playground, picnic facilities, walking paths, restroom facilities, parking lot, basketball court, and an informal playfield. The final phase will complete the park by adding a formal multiple-use sports field, additional off-street parking, and other features.

Although there are nineteen developed parks in the city, eighteen are in the southern or King County portion of the city. Cedar Grove Park is located in the fastest growing northern part of the city, which has recreation areas only at the local elementary and junior high schools. The development of Cedar Grove Park will bring the City to 75.27 acres (2.5 acres per 1,000) of developed park land. (02-1304D-FY04)

### City of Covington \$500,000 \$861,975 \$1,361,975 Jenkins Creek Park Acquisition

This application by the city of Covington is for the acquisition of 30 acres adjacent to Jenkins Creek Park. The city has grown by twenty-five percent in the last ten years, and is one of the fastest growing communities in King County. This project is the city's highest priority for park acquisition.

The properties are well-suited for a future park. They are gently sloping and partly forested. An elementary school borders the site to the east, Jenkins Creek Park and residential neighborhoods to the north, proposed senior housing and a church to the south, and a main commercial district to the west. The property has good transportation access. Future development plans for the park include the addition of parking and trailheads, community softball and soccer fields, restrooms, play equipment, picnic areas, natural areas, interpretive and transportation trail routes, and a skate park. (02-1271A-FY04)

# Continued: Kent Parks Rec & Comm Serv \$465,000 \$465,000 \$930,000 Kent East Hill "X" Park

This combination project supports the acquisition and development of two acres of undeveloped land for the construction of the "X", or eXtreme park on the East Hill of Kent. The park will consist of sports elements such as a skateboard park, a BMX halfpipe and other bicycle amenities, an in-line hockey arena, and a sport climbing monolith. The site will also have parking and a restroom/picnic shelter.

The park is intended for all age groups and skill levels in each sport. There is strong community support for this project from all user groups as well as the general public. This site allows the city to address the sporting needs of the community in a centrally located area of Kent. There is no other park like this in the state or in the country. This project will set an example for the development of a multiple-use facility that incorporates such diverse sports and user groups while allowing the general public a venue to learn about and appreciate these "extreme" sporting activities. (02-1230C-FY04)

### Town of Wilson Creek \$35,844 \$41,344 \$77,188 Wilson Creek Skate Park

The Town of Wilson Creek is centrally located in Grant County, and is also home to the K-12 school serving three small rural communities. Other than a ballfield, the area has no recreational facilities for older elementary, middle, and high school age youth. Many parents work out of the area leaving their children bored and unsupervised, especially during the summer months. The project's goal is to build a skate park to provide a safe, fun, and challenging recreational opportunity.

Almost all youth already have either skateboards or in-line skates and use them in the streets. The community is very committed to the project. It will use townowned lots, donations, grant funds, Columbia Basin Job Corps volunteers, and town labor and equipment to achieve the project. The Town's application stated: "We are trying to instill pride in our community and pride in self by making our community safer, healthier, more attractive, and more stimulating." (02-1326D-FY04)

### Vancouver Parks & Rec Dept \$419,476 \$419,476 \$838,952 Lynch Park

This project involves acquisition of a nine-acre neighborhood park located in a heavily developed residential area of west Vancouver. The park will serve the Northwest and Lincoln neighborhoods. In terms of recreation need, this is one of Vancouver's most under-served areas. The Lincoln neighborhood has no parks and the Northwest neighborhood has one 9.5-acre site with picnic tables and play equipment. In addition, this property provides the last opportunity in the service area to acquire a site of this size.

The project site consists of a gently sloping meadow with extensive views of the Cascade Mountains. The site has no wetlands or other limiting conditions. The property immediately borders local elementary schools. Future improvements will include sports fields, play equipment, picnic tables, viewpoint, trails, and restrooms. (02-1167A-FY04)

### Continued: Town of La Conner \$98,000 \$98,000 \$196,000 LaConner/Swinomish Skate Park

The town of LaConner, in partnership with the Swinomish Indian Tribe, is requesting WWRP funds to construct an 8,500 square foot skateboard park. The skate park will be located on the Swinomish Indian Reservation directly across from the town. The proposed skateboard park is designed to provide both street and free-form courses, with an adjacent skateboard area for beginners. The skate park will be landscaped with sculptured mounds of grass, trees, shrubs, automatic irrigation system, and a combination shelter with picnic table/information kiosk.

Both the town and the tribe have a large skate community. Of the total student body of 650 including elementary, middle, and high school students, over fifteen percent skateboard. The closest skate facilities are ten miles away in either Anacortes or Mount Vernon. (02-1019D-FY04)

### Bremerton Parks & Rec Dept \$300,000 \$1,674,959 \$1,974,959 Maritime Park

Bremerton, in Kitsap County, is currently working a major downtown renovation. Parks and open space are a critical component in the overall master plan. The United States Navy is donating this park land for a new waterfront park adjacent to the Bremerton Transportation Center/Ferry Terminal. The park will also be in close proximity to the city's new conference center.

Maritime Park will be developed as a passive park that celebrates Bremerton's and the Navy's 100 year relationship. It will feature a flag plaza and monument. The 386 linear feet of public shoreline included in the park will help satisfy the number one request of the public -- access to shorelines. Benches for viewing the water and ferry traffic will be installed, and a salmon restoration area is also planned. The park will house the Naval Museum at the north end. (02-1062D-FY04)

### Tukwila Parks & Rec Dept \$100,000 \$100,000 \$200,000 Showalter Playfield Lights

The city of Tukwila will install a Musco ballfield lighting system at its Showalter Field facilities to provide illumination for safer and extended play for youth and adult baseball and soccer. Currently, Tukwila does not have any lighted fields. The city has had to rent lighted fields from King County or neighboring cities to provide evening athletic programs. Currently, the soccer club is using "shop lights" in an attempt to illuminate the city's play fields through the shorter days of late fall. Little League teams cannot schedule enough practice or game times. Adult sports are limited to availability of city-operated unlit fields after the youth programs, or try to get time at the county's Fort Dent Park Fields.

With this project, the youth soccer and baseball clubs could provide safer playing conditions and meet the greatly needed play time for our residents. Additionally, adult sports will be able to play into the later evening at a city-scheduled field. (02-1171D-FY04)

### Continued: Auburn Parks & Rec Dept \$241,203 \$300,000 \$541,203 Olson Farm Development

Olson Farm is a rare, intact family farm, set in a canyon along the banks of Green River and Olson Creek in King County. This project begins a park including restoration of the salmon spawning stream, perimeter fencing, construction of a bridge, and 1.5 miles of trail, parking, and restroom facilities. This phase of work will be sequenced with other ongoing restoration work such as renovating the historic buildings, and replanting a 100+ year old orchard and gardens.

Olson Farm offers much needed forested trails in a community characterized by suburbia and light industry. It meets the passive recreational needs of the community as expressed in a recent Park Plan survey, has historic buildings, an active salmon spawning stream, and a private canyon - all within five minutes of downtown Auburn. (02-1328D-FY04)

### Vancouver Parks & Rec Dept \$497,094 \$497,094 \$994,188 Hockinson Park

This project in Clark County involves acquiring a 120-acre community park at the northeast corner of Vancouver's urban growth boundary. Approximately 25,000 people live in the rapidly growing service area, and there are no community park facilities. Because of the high need, both the city of Vancouver and Clark County have identified Hockinson Park as the highest priority community park acquisition project in the entire Vancouver urban area. The property provides an excellent setting for community park improvements. The site includes open meadows and pasture, and large stands of mixed mature forest that include Douglas fir, cedar, oak, maple, and alder. Future improvements will include hiking and biking trails, sports fields, open play meadows, picnic tables and shelters, parking, restrooms, and other support facilities. (02-1191A-FY04)

# Seattle Parks & Rec Dept \$500,000 \$2,766,730 \$3,266,730 Northgate Park Acquisition

The City of Seattle is proposing to acquire a 1.67-acre property in a densely developed neighborhood that has virtually no usable park space, and develop it into a park that can be used by the nearby residential and business community. The property is located on the east side of the Northgate Mall, adjoining a dense residential and commercial area of Seattle.

The city's proposal is to purchase the southern portion of the two lot property for later development into a park in conjunction with the City's purchase of the northern 1.88 acres, which will be the location of a new community center and library. The net result of the whole acquisition will be creation of a new park and civic center that will service a neighborhood community that is deficient in usable park space. (02-1048A-FY04)

# Continued: Island County Parks & Rec \$69,160 \$69,160 \$138,320 Saratoga Woods Preserve Development

This proposal by Island County seeks funds for improvements to facilitate passive recreational use and trail/trailhead development at Saratoga Woods. This 118-acre property is readily accessible from a county road, provides outstanding views of Puget Sound, and provides access and trailhead opportunities to the existing trail system on the adjacent 600 acres of trust lands. The park property was acquired in 2001 by a citizen led fundraising effort and then donated to Island County, subject to a conservation easement retained by the local land trust. The estimated value of the land and parking area improvements made to date (all through donated funds and efforts) is well over \$1.2 million.

The requested funding will be used for basic improvements to serve non-motorized public access and use of the site. Development on four acres of the parcel include: a barrier-free drop off area, ramps, stairways, pedestrian crossings, trails and picnic areas, interpretive facilities, picnic shelter, Puget Sound overlook, restroom, and drinking fountain. The remaining acres will be used for passive activities such as hiking, bicycling and horseback riding. (02-1058D-FY04)

Remaining Alternates:	City of Castle Rock Castle Rock Skate/BMX Park (02-1320D-FY04)	\$159,247	\$159,248	\$318,495
	Fife Parks & Recreation North County Regional Soccer Pa (02-1065A-FY04)	\$500,000 ark	\$2,208,302	\$2,708,302
	Tacoma Public Works Thea Foss Waterway - 21st Street	\$300,000 Park	\$688,800	\$988,800
	Kitsap County Parks and Rec Coulter Creek Heritage Park (02-1066A-FY04)	\$500,000	\$566,250	\$1,066,250
	Seattle Parks & Rec Dept University PG Park Landmark Fer (02-1052D-FY04)	\$150,000 ncing	\$219,737	\$369,737
	Kitsap County Parks and Rec Illahee Park Acquisition & Develo (02-1353C-FY04)	\$500,000 pment	\$1,396,569	\$1,896,569
	City of Mount Vernon Higgins Property Acquisition (02-1285A-FY04)	\$267,840	\$267,840	\$535,680
	Longview-Kelso Parks and Rec Cowlitz River Park (02-1153D-FY04)	\$92,143	\$92,143	\$184,286
Continued:	City of Mount Vernon	\$257,000	\$257,000	\$514,000

# **Little Mountain Park Expansion** (02-1294A-FY04)

**City of Milton** \$42,995 \$42,995 \$85,990 Triangle Park Phase II (02-1255A-FY04)

#### **State Parks**

Project Sponsor and Name	WWRP Share	Sponsor Share	Total Cost
Total Recommended	\$4,687,500	\$0	\$4,687,500
Total Alternates	\$11,459,445	\$0	\$11,459,445

#### FY-04 Projects:

State Parks \$1,406,250 \$0 \$1,406,250

### **Grayland Beach - Campground Development**

This construction project in Grays Harbor will double the camping capacity at Grayland Beach State Park. One of the state's premier oceanfront parks, the facility is heavily used year-round, and frequently cannot meet the public's demands for camping. To better accommodate recreation on the state's Pacific Ocean shorelines, this project will add another 60 utility campsites including ten sites with yurts. Major supporting project elements include extensive roadwork, utility extensions, and a relocated office and public contact building. (02-1273D-FY04)

### State Parks \$500,000 \$0 \$500,000 Statewide Adjacent & Inholdings

Every biennium opportunities arise for State Parks to purchase small, relatively low cost properties that are key to protecting or enhancing an existing state park. These parcels lie immediately adjacent to, or within a state park. This grant will allow timely purchases of key properties that will help avoid potentially incompatible uses adjacent to park lands; allow for park properties that will help avoid potentially incompatible uses adjacent to park lands; allow for park expansion; protect key watersheds; and improve access to parks. All purchases are crucial to maintaining the integrity or operations of current park properties. Approximately 225 acres have been acquired in past inholding projects. (02-1138A-FY04)

### State Parks \$1,246,800 \$0 \$1,246,800 Green River Gorge - 03-05 Acquisitions

This project will allow State Parks to purchase several parcels within the Green River Gorge Conservation Area, in King County. The purchases will help fill gaps and connect many of the state and local parks facilities in the area, which is noted for its scenery and access to a natural stretch of the Green River. The sites will follow the priorities approved by the State Parks Commission as part of the 1997 Classification and Management Plan, which received wide public review.

The proposed acquisitions include the Nolte Trail Connection, Icy Creek Extension, and Kanaskat-Palmer / Jellum Connection - Phase Two. These properties are mainly second growth forested uplands on the plateau surrounding the Green River Gorge. Collectively, the state parks along the Gorge are among the most popular and heavily used outdoor facilities in eastern King County. (02-1027A-FY04)

### Continued: State Parks \$1,534,450 \$0 1,534,450

#### **Deception Pass - Sunrise Resort Property**

Deception Pass State Park, in central Whidbey Island in Island County, is one of the most visited (and spectacular) of Washington's state parks. State Parks has committed to enhance visitor facilities and to protect this popular park from incompatible development in park inholdings. This high-priority acquisition project secures the most significant current inholding in the park, the thirty-seven acre Sunrise Resort. This site will allow for future development of a centrally located park administrative and maintenance center that is accessible to the rest of the park and improve operating efficiencies. Also, the property will provide future opportunities for development of public campsites and amenities in high demand at this park. This project is vital to the implementation of the 2001 Deception Pass State Park Facilities Master Plan. (02-1121A-FY04)

#### Alternates: State Parks \$691,200 \$0 \$691,200

#### **Deception Pass - Sunrise Resort Property**

Complete the inholding purchase at Deception Pass State Park. (02-1121A-FY04)

#### State Parks \$1,000,000 \$0 \$1,000,000

#### Nisqually-Mashel - 03-05 Acquisition

This project will purchase 250 acres from a commercial timber company, adjacent to existing state park ownership. The property is located in Pierce County and is predominantly uplands on the Mashel Prairie, but extends to the Nisqually River edge on the south.

Expanded opportunities resulting from this acquisition includes trails, walk-in camping areas, and general habitat preservation. (02-1197A-FY04)

### State Parks \$1,000,000 \$0 \$1,000,000

#### Fort Canby - Seaview Dunes

The Seaview Dunes area in Pacific County lies between Fort Canby State Park and a large unnamed block of State Parks' ownership just north of the park. State Parks seeks to acquire the property in the intervening area as it becomes available to prevent development from affecting the viewshed, one of the last undeveloped portions of the Long Beach peninsula. (02-1139A-FY04)

### State Parks \$1,718,580 \$0 \$1,718,580 Miller Peninsula - Pacific Aerospace

This project will purchase 32 acres of land located near the center of State Park's existing properties on the Miller Peninsula (Diamond Point) in eastern Clallam County, to eliminate incompatible industrial uses. When the park is developed, it is anticipated this property will be ideal to house core facilities for this park as well as the other state parks on the Olympic Peninsula. (02-1177A-FY04)

### Continued: State Parks \$3,209,600 \$0 \$3,209,600

**Haley Development Phase 2** 

This project will purchase 32 acres of land located near the center of State Park's existing properties on the Miller Peninsula (Diamond Point) in eastern Clallam County, to eliminate incompatible industrial uses. When the park is developed, it is anticipated this property will be ideal to house core facilities for this park as well as the other state parks on the Olympic Peninsula. (02-1269D-FY04)

Remaining Alternates:	State Parks Fish Trap Lake Resort (02-1073A-FY04)	\$1,696,355	\$0	\$1,696,355
	State Parks Fort Canby - Realvest Upland (02-1239A-FY04)	\$750,000	\$0	\$750,000
	State Parks Deception Pass - Maryott Propert (02-1122A-FY04)	\$1,077,130 ty	\$0	\$1,077,130
	State Parks Deception Pass - Stavig Property (02-1123A-FY04)	\$316,580 /	\$0	\$316,580

#### **Trails**

Project Sponsor and Name	WWRP Share	Sponsor Share	Total Cost
Total Recommended	\$3,187,500	\$4,974,816	\$8,162,316
Total Alternates	\$6,564,676	\$3,996,074	\$10,560,750
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### FY-04 Projects:

### Shoreline Parks & Rec Dept \$1,581,773 \$1,802,490 \$3,384,263 Shoreline Interurban Trail Crossing

The Interurban Trail is a heavily-used regional facility in northwest King County being developed in segments by the communities of Shoreline, Edmonds, Lynnwood, and Snohomish County. The City of Shoreline's portion of the Interurban Trail will run parallel to Aurora Avenue North. The trail follows a utility right-of-way to the Snohomish County line, where it ties to the City of Edmonds' trail system. The City seeks to build a bridge for safe travel along a key part of its portion of the Interurban Trail. To provide continuity and safety, the elevated bridge structure will cross the Aurora Avenue (SR-99) right-of-way at the intersection of North 155th and Aurora. Unless a crossing is built, trail users will have to travel over twelve lanes of traffic to rejoin the trail. Shoreline's section of Aurora has been identified as a high accident corridor by the Washington State Department of Transportation, and a bridge would increase safety for trail users and vehicles alike.

The Shoreline Interurban Trail runs through an area of significant residential population, currently about 5,000 per square mile. The Trail will connect residents and visitors to services, recreation, other modes of transportation, employment, and housing. This trail is a priority in the Shoreline Park, Open Space, and Recreation Services Plan, Shoreline's Comprehensive Plan and Capital Improvement Program, and the State of Washington Trails Plan. The Shoreline segment is identified as a critical link in this regional trail. (02-1076D-FY04)

# Pierce County Parks & Rec \$750,000 \$1,826,675 \$2,576,675 Buckley to South Prairie Foothills Trail

This development project in central Pierce County constructs the Buckley-to-South Prairie section of the Foothills Trail. This is the final section of the Foothills Trail on the mainline route between Buckley and South Hill in Puyallup. The trail section extends from South Prairie Creek in the Town of South Prairie to Junkyard Road west of Buckley, approximately 3.6 miles long. When completed, this section will connect two existing sections of completed trail. This section of trail already has one renovated trestle and two newly built trestles, but will require two additional trestles.

The trail will continue to provide a safe and separated nonmotorized public trail for multiple kinds of recreational uses and as a commuter route between towns and neighborhoods. An asphalt path and equestrian trail of natural materials will support a diversity of uses.

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The entire Foothills Trail will be approximately 30 miles in length. The completed sections of the Foothills Trail include nine miles of completed trail in three separate areas. These segments are extremely popular and well supported throughout Pierce County. Using an electronic counter, the County has recorded some weekends in which 3,000 users are on the trail. There is also a citizens support organization, the Foothills Rails-to-Trails Coalition with almost one thousand paid members. This non-profit organization raises money and assists Pierce County in supporting the development of the Foothills Trail. (02-1034D-FY04)

# Enumclaw Parks & Rec Dept \$127,500 \$153,000 \$280,500 Enumclaw Trail Development - Phase 1

This project by the city of Enumclaw will develop the first section of a trail from State Highway 410 near Veterans Memorial Park south to the Enumclaw - King County boundary. This will start to link Enumclaw with the King County Regional Trail System and the Foothills Trail in Pierce County.

The proposed trail will consist of a ten-foot wide asphalt path approximately one mile in length. The trail corridor includes an open section that provides great views of Mount Rainier and another section that is wooded, providing a more secluded park-like type of experience. This trail project will satisfy a tremendous need in the Enumclaw area. The City conducted a community survey during the development of the park plan in 1998 and trail development emerged as the top desire/need by the community. The City currently has no developed trails. The vision is to someday see Enumclaw and Buckley connected with this trail corridor. (02-1212D-FY04)

# Bellingham Parks & Rec Dept \$728,227 \$1,192,651 \$1,920,878 South Bay Trail - Missing Link

This project by the city of Bellingham, in Whatcom County, will develop a critical shoreline trail segment as part of Bellingham's urban trail system as well as the 70-mile long Coast Millennium Trail. Near Bellingham's central waterfront, about one-half mile of new trail will be constructed to fill a gap in the existing South Bay Trail and provide a grade-separated crossing from the active Burlington Northern Rail line. The trail will be twelve feet wide and is designed for users with both daily and leisure time travel needs.

The project will redevelop and restore an historic dock and over-water railroad trestle. The trail will provide access to unique natural features along Bellingham Bay and will serve as a non-motorized bypass around roadway, railway and topographic barriers. It links neighborhoods in south Bellingham with a saltwater beach and an existing waterfront community park. The upland property portion of this project was acquired with a WWRP grant and the existing portion of the South Bay Trail utilized state and federal grants. (02-1332D-FY04)

# Alternates: Bellingham Parks & Rec Dept \$71,773 \$117,546 \$189,319 South Bay Trail - Missing Link

Complete the redevelopment and restoration of an historic dock and over-water railroad trestle. (02-1332D-FY04)

# Continued: Redmond Parks & Rec Dept \$180,000 \$188,768 \$368,768 Bear Creek Park Trail Development

The city of Redmond, in east King County, will develop approximately one-half mile of multi-use trail within Bear Creek Park. This project will link the existing trail underpass at Union Hill Road with Redmond Way. A trail crossing light is currently under design by the City. The trail will then tie into the existing trail at Town Center, which links to the Sammamish River Trail.

This project is a phase of the Bear & Evans Creek Trail & Greenway, a trail system that connects to four regional trails and provides looped trails around the City of Redmond. The twelve-foot wide trail will be barrier-free along with a 150 foot buffer. The trail provides great scenic values of Bear Creek, one of the largest native salmonid migration routes in the state. (02-1085D-FY04)

### State Parks \$1,175,750 \$993,000 \$2,168,750 Columbia Plateau Trail, Phase 4

This project in Franklin County will develop 20.5 miles of trail along the northern shore of the Snake River as a segment of the Columbia Plateau Trail (CPT). A new trailhead will be developed at Kahlotus and four existing trailheads improved. Four railroad trestles will be redecked and fenced. A rest stop will be constructed at Farrington. This project also includes the addition of mile markers and interpretive signage along the newly developed trail and portions of the existing trail. The National Guard has committed to donating heavy equipment and labor to convert the existing rail bed to trail.

The CPT will eventually link the population centers of the Tri-Cities to the Spokane area, a distance of 130 miles. The trail corridor highlights undeveloped stretches of the Snake River Gorge, Devils Canyon, the scabland landscape of Central Washington and the pristine areas within Turnbull National Wildlife Area. Approximately 25 miles of trail have been developed to date, providing a popular recreation experience for hikers, bikers and equestrians. (02-1244D-FY04)

### City of Milton \$31,495 \$31,495 \$62,990 Interurban Trail Trailhead

The city of Milton, in southern King County, seeks to acquire 1.8 acres for a trailhead for public access to the Milton portion of the Interurban Trail. This parcel sits at the edge of the city limits on its busiest road, State Route 161, also known as Enchanted Village Parkway and Meridian, and is an excellent location for a trailhead, including parking. Current trail access is through local neighborhoods, which can cause unnecessary neighborhood congestion.

This section of the old Puget Sound Electric Railway right-of-way provides incredible scenic vistas of the Fife Valley, several mountain ranges, and access to Sweetwater Creek. It will link to the surrounding communities of Edgewood and Fife, and will further the vision established over a decade ago to maintain open space linkages between Puget Sound communities. When complete, this project will be a critical link to some 36 miles of a non-motorized sightseeing and recreation trail corridor that extends from Tacoma to Seattle. Integral to the preservation of the trail itself is the provision of logical, accessible, public entry points such as this trailhead. (02-1263A-FY04)

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#### Iron Horse - Cle Elum to Ellensburg

Iron Horse Trail is one of the state's premiere east-west mainline trails. State Parks is developing the facility in segments. This development project in Kittitas County will improve the trail surface from South Cle Elum to Ellensburg, approximately twenty-five miles on the Iron Horse Trail. Other improvements include installing safety railings on eighteen bridge structures, developing new trailheads at Faust Road and the Fairgrounds, improving the Thorp Trailhead with a restroom, and providing landscape screening and a primitive camp unit with four to six campsites at Taneum Creek. (02-1219D-FY04)

## City of Lacey \$410,279 \$410,279 \$820,558 Lacey Burlington Northern Trail Land Acq

The city of Lacey, in Thurston County, will purchase a small piece of land to link the east and west portions of the Burlington Northern rail line. On its own the city will acquire approximately three and one-half miles through railbanking. This project will acquire the 0.3 mile gap between the railbanked segments.

The corridor runs through the heart of Lacey's core business district. It provides connections between the business district, residential neighborhoods, a variety of city parks and community facilities. Lacey currently lacks adequate trail options. The trail promises to be a popular facility since it provides views of Mount Rainier, historic buildings, forests, and provides access to wetlands, lakes, and streams. The corridor will provide an east-west connection to the north-south Chehalis Western trail and a westerly connection with Olympia's Woodland Trail. Once the trail is developed, users will have access to forest areas, the State Capitol, Olympia's downtown, Watershed Park, and Woodard Bay. (02-1298A-FY04)

## City of Pullman \$340,000 \$340,895 \$680,895 Downtown Pullman Riverwalk

The city of Pullman, in Whitman County, will acquire the land for and construct a bicycle / pedestrian path through the downtown core. The eight to twelve foot wide paved path will be located along the South Fork of the Palouse River and will complete a missing link in the city's path system. Previous projects have constructed most of a seven mile loop around the northern part of the city. This is the remaining segment to complete the loop. The construction phase will include the installation of the path, two bridges over the river, redevelopment of a portion of an existing street into a trailhead, and associated amenities such as lighting, fencing, benches, and landscaping. A midpoint spur trail will provide a connection to the Pullman Central Business District via the trailhead.

The citizen group Pullman Civic Trust is leading the effort to complete this segment of the trail system and is assisting in local fund raising efforts. The majority of the local match for the project will come from the proceeds of a bond approved by Pullman voters in 1998 for trail projects. (02-1371C-FY04)

## Continued: Jamestown S'Klallam Tribe \$98,800 \$99,100 \$197,900 ODT Railroad Bridge Trailhead Parking

This project in Clallam County will provide key parking and access to the popular Olympic Discovery Trail (ODT) at Railroad Bridge Park near Sequim. This regional trail runs east to west and will eventually provide a nonmotorized route from Port Townsend to the Pacific. Several phases have been completed and further construction is underway. A nonmotorized trestle spans the Dungeness River at Railroad Bridge Park, and loop trails within the park provide access to the River. The park serves as both a destination point and a trailhead. Existing parking is inadequate.

This proposal involves two work sites, one on each side of the Dungeness. A two-acre parcel will be acquired and 64 parking spaces developed on the east side of the park. Ten parking spaces will be developed on the west side with trail safety improvements. Other improvements include safety lighting, fencing, and entrance and directional signs. Partners include two local non-profit organizations, the National Audubon Society, Clallam County, and the Peninsula Trails Coalition. (02-1366C-FY04)

Remaining Alternates:	Jefferson Co Public Works Larry Scott Trail Dev. Segments 3 (02-1292C-FY04)	\$382,424 & 4	\$382,424	\$764,848
	Edmonds Parks & Rec Dept Edmonds Interurban Trail (02-1176D-FY04)	\$256,587	\$256,587	\$513,174
	Kitsap County Parks and Rec Coulter Creek Heritage Park Trail (02-1068A-FY04)	\$700,000	\$725,000	\$1,425,000
	Port of Benton North Richland Trail Connections (02-1077D-FY04)	\$200,000	\$200,000	\$400,000
	Jefferson Co Public Works Larry Scott Trail Segment 4 Acqui (02-1288A-FY04)	\$81,380 isition	\$81,380	\$162,760
	Transportation Dept of I-90: High Point to Preston Trail (02-1137D-FY04)	\$1,790,898	\$0	\$1,790,898
	City of Warden Heritage Trail (02-1327D-FY04)	\$147,800	\$159,600	\$307,400

#### **Water Access**

Project Sponsor and Name	WWRP Share	Sponsor Share	Total Cost
Total Recommended	\$1,875,000	\$1,987,555	\$3,862,555
Total Alternates	\$1,821,556	\$2,242,779	\$4,064,335

#### FY-04 Projects:

## City of Puyallup \$88,600 \$100,000 \$188,600 Palmer Property Acquisition

This acquisition in eastern Pierce County will provide the City of Puyallup its only, and much needed, public access to an extremely popular fishing site on the Puyallup River. The acquisition of the three contiguous lots along the river will help complete the city's vision to provide publicly-owned river access. An additional benefit is that the site connects to Puyallup's multi-modal Riverwalk Trail and is close to public transportation. Public access to water was the top ranked type of facility identified by residents in recent public plan forums.

The site is directly adjacent to the Milwaukee-5th Street Bridge, one of three bridges that cross the river in town. The site has excellent access and visibility, and is well-suited for a water access facility. (02-1208A-FY04)

## City of Port Townsend \$154,495 \$154,495 \$308,990 NWMC Shoreline Access Improvements

This project proposed by the city of Port Townsend, in Jefferson County, develops water access elements of a new waterfront facility, the Northwest Maritime Center. The two-acre site is on a popular, heavily trafficked, but underutilized downtown beach in the heart of the city's National Landmark Historic District. The project expands existing water access opportunities for a variety of users including tourists, picnickers, casual viewers, scuba divers, kayakers, and boaters. This will also provide for a continuous public access link along the shoreline between the city's historic downtown and the Point Hudson marina, thereby implementing the "Waterwalk" in the city's comprehensive plan.

Water access will be substantially improved through construction of 1) a fourteen foot wide public boardwalk along the beach; 2) a hand boat launch and pedestrian barrier-free ramp to the beach; 3) sitting and walking steps to the beach; 4) a kayak and small-boat staging platform; and 5) beach ecological improvements. Paved areas connecting Water Street to the public boardwalk will facilitate use and access to a 20,000 square foot outdoor commons area, a public dock including kayak/dinghy floats, and the Port of Port Townsend's jetty walkway facility. (02-1312D-FY04)

## Continued: Clark County Parks Dept \$595,505 \$696,660 \$1,292,165 Cottonwood Beach

Clark County will develop the only regional waterfront park on a twenty-three mile section of the Columbia River between west Vancouver and the Clark/Skamania County Line. Cottonwood Beach Regional Park encompasses 75 acres and includes 1.5 miles of shoreline and a ten acre sand beach. It is adjacent to Steamboat Landing, a two acre site that has docks for fishing, canoe/kayak access, and serves as the western trailhead for the 3.5-mile Lewis and Clark Regional Trail.

Proposed development includes a swimming beach, picnic tables, trails, tent and RV campsites, dock, parking, signing, and restrooms. Improvements at Steamboat Landing include "finger" docks to enhance non-motorized boat access. Cottonwood Beach provides a spectacular setting for a regional waterfront park. It borders Steigerwald Lake Wildlife Refuge, Reed Island State Park, and the Columbia River Gorge National Scenic Area. Over 250,000 people live in the heavily urbanized service area, which includes the communities of Vancouver, Washougal, and Camas. (02-1216D-FY04)

#### Kitsap County Parks and Rec \$516,023 \$516,023 \$1,032,046 Anderson Point

Kitsap County is seeking to establish a new waterfront park along the shores of Puget Sound. This proposed acquisition project is located in southern Kitsap County on Colvos Passage facing east to Vashon Island. The site is just over 72 acres with 1,985 feet of saltwater waterfront and a sandy/gravelly low bank access. The uplands are forested in a mixed canopy of big leaf maple, cedar, hemlock and alder.

The site is undeveloped. Much of the upland has steep topography. However, a good service road traverses the site to the beach, which features an easily accessible seven acres of level area along the waterfront. The site is suitable for many day-use activities such as clamming, crabbing, fishing, swimming, beach combing, picnicking, and kayaking. (02-1370A-FY04)

# Spokane County Parks & Rec \$520,377 \$520,377 \$1,040,754 Spokane River Land Acquisition

Spokane County seeks to create a riverfront park in the eastern Spokane Valley by acquisition of two properties totaling 30.98 acres on the Spokane River. County citizens have identified the need for more waterfront parks as a very high priority. Public ownership of waterfront properties has become increasingly difficult as the county continues to grow. The project site meets this public need by providing over one-half mile of water access along the Spokane River.

Development at the site will offer a variety of recreation opportunities including fishing from the shoreline, tube or driftboat access, canoe and kayak accesses, possible swimming, and other passive recreation uses. The site will serve as a destination point for users of the Spokane River Centennial Trail which borders the property to the south. This project will be developed with combinations of irrigated turf areas, shelters, restrooms, paved parking, natural areas and connecting accessible pathways. The site will attract users as a premier passive water access/recreation park. (02-1074A-FY04)

## Alternates: Clark County Parks Dept \$259,295 \$303,340 \$562,635 Cottonwood Beach

Clark County will complete development of the regional waterfront park located on the Columbia River. (02-1216D-FY04)

# Spokane County Parks & Rec \$552,811 \$552,811 \$1,105,622 Spokane River Land Acquisition

Spokane County will complete the acquisition of two properties totaling 30.98 acres on the Spokane River. (02-1074A-FY04)

## Seattle Parks & Rec Dept \$500,000 \$877,178 \$1,377,178 Sand Point North Shore Development

This development proposal by the city of Seattle will create a major non-motorized boating facility at the Sand Point North Shore Area in popular Sand Point Magnuson Park. There are currently no other formalized public facilities that support non-motorized boating recreation and access to the northern end of Lake Washington. Many of the current sites around the lake are rather informal facilities that are small, not capable of handling a large volume of use, and may not be barrier-free.

This project is a key component of the City's Sand Point Magnuson Master Reuse Plan. The project will improve boating access to Lake Washington, accommodate people with disability, and provide necessary support amenities and facilities. Proposed improvements include: construction of new docks, ramps, a float, a boat launching beach, on-land boat storage, a waterfront promenade, picnic area, paths, and development of an aquatic habitat area as a mitigation requirement of the permitting process. The new aquatic habitat is sited away from the location of the new docks and ramps and there is adequate buffer between the two amenities to maintain a good balance for park users. (02-1049D-FY04)

## Kitsap County Parks and Rec \$441,000 \$441,000 \$882,000 Wicks Lake Expansion

Kitsap County seeks to add to its existing waterfront facility at Wicks Lake. Wicks Lake Park is located in the southwest portion of Kitsap County. The county purchased approximately twelve acres along Wicks Lake in 1969. The remaining property surrounding the lake is owned by two local timber companies. This project is for the acquisition of an additional 140 acres around the lake to protect the pristine environment and provide for outdoor recreational opportunities such as swimming, non-motorized boating, and hiking. Acquisition will include trail easements connecting the lake to nearby Square Lake State Park. (02-1349A-FY04)

## Continued: Jefferson Co Public Works \$68,450 \$68,450 \$136,900 Port Hadlock Waterfront Access & Pier

This project in southern Jefferson County proposes to create a shoreline access system that will connect the town of Port Hadlock with its historic waterfront. This grant proposal will acquire public access easements on a no-bank, sandy beach, as well as a historic saltwater pier intended for public viewing and recreation.

Current public access to the Port Hadlock waterfront is limited to a small boat launch ramp and loading float. The proposal will double the available beach frontage and add an additional 250 lineal feet of boardwalk and viewing pier over Port Townsend Bay. These acquisitions will also increase public safety by providing for separation of wading, swimming and small boat launching activities from the boat trailer launching area, and encourage visiting boater use of the waterfront. The new shorelines park and viewing pier will link with the proposed Port Hadlock Waterfront Access Trail. (02-1309A-FY04)

#### **Critical Habitat**

Project Sponsor and Name	WWRP Share	Sponsor Share	Total Cost
Total Recommended	\$7,050,000	\$2,775,000	\$9,825,000
Total Alternates	\$32,149,852	\$0	\$32,149,852

#### FY-04 Projects:

#### Dept of Fish & Wildlife \$258,405 \$0 \$258,405 Western Pond Turtle Phase 3

This project in Klickitat County adds an additional thirty-two acres of critical habitat for the western pond turtle, a Washington state endangered species. This site is known as Balch Lake and Sondino Ponds, a part of Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife's Klickitat Wildlife Area. This habitat supports one of two known natural populations of the western pond turtle in Washington. Balch Lake and Sondino Ponds have the best remaining habitat in the state and have the largest of two natural western pond turtle populations. In addition, this site contains some of the best remaining oak-pine savannah/grassland habitat in Klickitat County. This area will provide additional grassy savannah for turtle nesting, cliffs and talus for raptors and reptiles, and nesting habitat for neotropical migrant birds. The large oaks and pines on this site provide critical habitat for several cavity nesting species and the western gray squirrel, a Washington threatened species. The additional acreage provides a buffer to further land divisions and development adjacent to the critical wildlife habitat. (02-1109A-FY04)

#### Dept of Fish & Wildlife \$3,828,337 \$0 \$3,828,337 Rattlesnake Mountain

This acquisition project in Benton County has three objectives: 1) to permanently protect one of the last remaining viable shrub-steppe landscapes in the Columbia Basin, 2) to connect the unprotected south facing slope of Rattlesnake Mountain with the north facing slope protected under the Arid Lands Ecology Reserve unit of the Hanford Reach National Monument, and 3) to leverage protection of biological diversity at the Hanford Reach National Monument by incorporating the south aspect community types and micro-habitats of Rattlesnake Mountain.

The project site is a seventeen square mile area on the south side of Rattlesnake Mountain in Benton County that borders the 77,000 acre Arid Lands Ecology Reserve of the Hanford Reach National Monument and the 5,600 acre Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife Sunnyside Wildlife Area. Rattlesnake Mountain still supports irreplaceable biological diversity at multiple scales, including the state threatened ferruginous hawk, a top predator requiring diverse prey species for survival. Working at a landscape scale of this magnitude and richness offers a rare chance for reversing shrub-steppe fragmentation. Economy of scale would be achieved in co-management strategies for both areas. An unusual coalition of partners from national conservation groups to local county commissioners have recognized the habitat values of this property and identified it as a priority area both for shrub-steppe conservation and for community enrichment. (02-1111A-FY04)

# Continued: Dept of Fish & Wildlife \$797,160 \$0 Pygmy Rabbit

This project in Douglas and Grant Counties will contribute to the recovery of the federally endangered Columbian Basin Pygmy Rabbit. The Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife is aggressively pursuing a captive breeding program for the pygmy rabbit and protection of the remaining few (estimated less than 30) pygmy rabbits remaining in the wild. The objectives of acquisition are 1) to protect habitat for the few remaining pygmy rabbits from high density residential development and 2) to provide a buffer to the state wildlife area managed for pygmy rabbits that will help reduce the risk of catastrophic fire, and 3) to purchase high quality suitable habitat for potential reintroduction of pygmy rabbits.

\$797.160

Anticipated benefits with acquisition include 1) the ability to increase areas for augmentation and reintroduction, 2) reduction in the risk of catastrophic fire to areas managed for pygmy rabbits, and 3) minimizing pygmy rabbit conflicts with high-density residential development. (02-1162A-FY04)

## Dept of Fish & Wildlife \$1,227,862 \$2,775,000 \$4,002,862 Dungeness River Match

This project in Clallam County seeks to perpetually protect two miles of the finest riparian forest remaining along the lower Dungeness River. This proposal will support purchase of nearly 400 acres of riparian corridor as the centerpiece of a multiple partner effort to protect and restore Dungeness River riparian habitat. Contained within the project area is the last large, contiguously owned, and relatively undisturbed parcel in the lower watershed.

The project has been identified as the highest priority for acquisition by the River Restoration Work Group. Five Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife Priority Habitats exist in the area composed of floodplain, open channel, riparian forest, and open space. Three ESA listed threatened fish species utilize the mainstem and side channel habitat, including side channels documented as the most productive chinook habitat in the entire lower river. One hundred thirteen bird species have been recorded in this area, twelve of which have special species status. The forest provides forage and roosting habitat for bat species with three bat species with special status likely to occur in the area.

Much adjacent land is publicly owned or in private conservation protection including the Dungeness River Audubon Center, a park and natural history education center. This project's success will be the keystone for expanding the Center as well as a vital riparian link between the protected headwaters and the mouth, a wildlife refuge area. (02-1101A-FY04)

## Dept of Fish & Wildlife \$938,236 \$0 \$938,236 Tieton River Canyon

This project in Yakima County will secure 1,920 acres of land in the scenic Tieton River canyon and Upper Oak Creek for addition to the Oak Creek Wildlife Area. The site includes a rich diversity of habitat: shrub-steppe, basalt cliffs, ponderosa pine forests, cottonwood riparian, and oak woodland. Species present include golden eagle, white-headed and pileated woodpecker, prairie falcon, harlequin duck, bighorn sheep, bull trout, steelhead, and elk.

#### Continued:

The project site lies in the northernmost portion of the oak woodland zone. The area has a high density of nesting raptors. It also has important range for elk, bighorn sheep, and mule deer. Streams have well-developed, complex channels and intact riparian habitats.

Tieton and Oak Creeks are popular recreation areas year-round for hiking, bird watching, hunting, fishing, shed antler hunting, camping, mushroom picking, rafting, and recreational driving. Highway 12 follows the Tieton River along one of the most spectacular highway corridors in Washington. A popular trail at Bear Creek Canyon is on this site.

Lands are in checkerboard ownership within the Wenatchee National Forest boundary and adjacent to the wildlife area. Lands for sale are vulnerable to logging and development. It is important to protect these lands for connectivity and the integrity of the wildlife area long term. (02-1160A-FY04)

#### Alternates:

## Dept of Fish & Wildlife Tieton River Canyon

\$1,610,744 \$0 \$1,610,744

Complete acquisition in Yakima County in securing additional acres in the scenic Tieton River canyon and Upper Oak Creek for addition to the Oak Creek Wildlife Area. (02-1160A-FY04)

## Fish & Wildlife/Natural Res. \$5,676,432 \$0 \$5,676,432 S. Puget Sound Prairies & Oak Woodland

This project in Thurston County is a joint project between the Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife and Washington Department of Natural Resources. Several other agencies and organizations are committed to restoration and conservation of south Puget Sound prairie communities including the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, The Nature Conservancy (TNC), Fort Lewis, and Thurston County Parks. TNC, with the assistance of several partners, drafted the South Puget Sound Prairies Site Conservation Plan to serve as the basis for future conservation and restoration efforts. This regional plan highlights the proposed project as of the highest priority.

This project includes four additions to existing prairie and oak woodland reserves: Tenalquot, where native prairie plant communities are probably in poor condition but the likelihood of successful restoration is high due to favorable soil conditions. Scatter Creek has high quality native prairie (Idaho fescue-white-topped aster grassland) and a riparian strip of mature oak. West Rocky includes approximately 300 acres of mounded prairie, 400 acres of wetlands, and 40 acres of oak woodland. Mima Mounds contains high quality Idaho fescue-Puget Balsamroot prairie and land with high potential for prairie restoration.

Many species of plants and animals dependent on the prairie and oak woodland communities are found on these sites. This list of rare species includes two federally threatened, three federal candidate, and five species of concern. (02-1199A-FY04)

## Continued: Dept of Fish & Wildlife \$2,892,214 \$0 \$2,892,214 Methow Watershed Phase 3

Securing habitat needed to maintain all ecological processes and sustain maximum biological diversity in the Methow River watershed in Okanogan County is the overall goal of this ongoing project. The current emphasis is to secure the most critical habitats under-represented in the protected land base and link these parcels to existing agency holdings. Targeted parcels will protect the largest privately owned, contiguous block of shrub-steppe habitat remaining in the Methow Watershed, along with five miles of Beaver Creek frontage, and four miles of Methow River frontage along a critical stream reach.

This will provide critical habitat for sharp-tailed grouse, spring chinook and Upper Columbia steelhead. In addition, these acquisitions will protect biologically rich riparian forests, providing important habitat for riparian songbirds, furbearers, amphibians and many other priority species. Targeted parcels connect to public land and link critical riparian components to protected uplands. Maintaining connectivity will prevent fragmentation, maximize habitat effectiveness, and facilitate wildlife movements within the watershed. No other major inhabited watershed in the state offers such opportunity for comprehensive protection of fish and wildlife resources and associated recreation. This is the agency's most successful WWRP acquisition project to date, and the finished product will serve as a showcase for the compatibility of sustainable development and resource conservation. (02-1110A-FY04)

Remaining
Alternates:

Dept of Fish & Wildlife Asotin Creek Watershed (02-1190A-FY04)	\$3,813,652	\$0	\$3,813,652
Dept of Fish & Wildlife Hood Canal Plateau (02-1178A-FY04)	\$1,372,900	\$0	\$1,372,900
Dept of Fish & Wildlife Sharp-tailed Grouse Phase 4 (02-1107A-FY04)	\$3,627,855	\$0	\$3,627,855
Dept of Fish & Wildlife Upper Yakima River Acquisitions (02-1158A-FY04)	\$2,215,815	\$0	\$2,215,815
Dept of Fish & Wildlife Grays Harbor Estuary (02-1096C-FY04)	\$2,428,836	\$0	\$2,428,836
Dept of Fish & Wildlife Lower Skagit River Ecosystem (02-1104A-FY04)	\$3,074,662	\$0	\$3,074,662
Dept of Fish & Wildlife Lyre River Corridor (02-1173A-FY04)	\$2,896,320	\$0	\$2,896,320

Continued:	Dept of Fish & Wildlife Tarpiscan Creek (02-1108A-FY04)	\$429,712	\$0	\$429,712
	Dept of Fish & Wildlife Cowiche Watershed (02-1143A-FY04)	\$2,110,710	\$0	\$2,110,710

#### **Natural Areas**

Project Sponsor and Name	WWRP Share	Sponsor Share	Total Cost	
Total Recommended	\$4,800,000	\$0	\$4,800,000	
Total Alternates	\$11,474,371	\$0	\$11,474,371	
FY-04 Projects:				

## Dept of Natural Resources Washougal Oaks NAP/NRCA

This project secures privately owned properties located east of Washougal at the western edge of the Columbia River Gorge in Clark County. It is part of a larger project area that encompasses the largest high-quality native oak woodland remaining in western Washington. This type of ecosystem is of major conservation concern due to historic losses and ongoing degradation. In addition, a fish-bearing stream inside a steep forested ravine runs through the heart of the site. The site supports two state threatened and two sensitive plant species, and four rare or threatened animal species: Larch Mountain Salamander, Peregrine Falcon, Slender-billed Nuthatch, and Lower Columbia Steelhead. The proposed combination of Natural Resource Conservation Area and Natural Area Preserve will complement existing conservation work within the project area by the agency's partners, which include the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Steigerwald National Wildlife Refuge), U.S. Forest Service (Columbia River Gorge National Scenic Area), and the Columbia Land Trust. These acquisitions will be the first phase of a multi-phased project with the long-term objective of protecting the oak woodland and associated species from future residential development, other incompatible uses, and exotic plant species. (02-1045A-FY04)

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## Dept of Natural Resources \$2,367,807 \$0 \$2,367,807 Elk River NRCA

Through land acquisitions within the Elk River Natural Resources Conservation Area (NRCA) boundary, the state will protect the critical components of its largest, most diverse and highest quality estuary in Grays Harbor County. The Elk River estuarine system contains seven wetland and aquatic ecosystem elements: 1) transition zone wetland, 2) silty low salinity low marsh, 3) mudflat, 4) silty moderate salinity low marsh, 5) moderate salinity high marsh, 6) low salinity high marsh, 7) muddy channel/slough. These are listed as priority elements in the state's Natural Heritage Plan.

As part of the Pacific Flyway, Elk River also provides an important stopover for shorebirds and waterfowl. The quality of the Elk River estuary is currently threatened by logging, encroaching development and the invasion of exotic species. This acquisition project will help protect the estuary from these incompatible activities, while providing opportunities for more comprehensive management of invasive species already threatening Grays Harbor. (02-1070A-FY04)

## Alternates: Dept of Natural Resources \$248,193 \$0 \$248,193 Elk River NRCA

Complete purchases within the Elk River Natural Resources Conservation Area (NRCA) boundary. (02-1070A-FY04)

## Dept of Natural Resources \$1,628,786 \$0 \$1,628,786 Cypress Island Natural Area

This proposal in Skagit County is for acquisition of privately-owned waterfront properties on Cypress Island, which are threatened with conversion to incompatible and/or ecologically irreversible uses. Cypress Island Natural Area Preserve/Natural Resource Conservation Area (NAP/NRCA) is a unique natural area due to its large size, ecological diversity, and level of existing protection. Cypress Island has no infrastructure or ferry service, and limited development, all which help increase protection. Nearly 92% of the island is already owned and managed by the Department of Natural Resources under NAP or NRCA designation. Securing additional funding is necessary in order to actively pursue acquisition of these remaining undeveloped lands. The threat of conversion is high due to rising property values in the San Juan Islands and the attractiveness of Cypress Island for vacation homes. (02-1089A-FY04)

## Dept of Natural Resources \$2,717,452 \$0 \$2,717,452 Ink Blot and Shumocher Creek NAPs

The Department of Natural Resources (DNR) proposes to buy, manage, and protect wetlands and adjacent uplands within two state Natural Area Preserves, Ink Blot and Shumocher Creek in Mason County. Both preserves are located near Hood Canal and the Skokomish Valley.

These preserves contain four imperiled wetland and bog ecosystems and seven very rare and/or high quality occurrences of wetland plant communities. One of the plant communities found on Shumocher Creek Preserve, the Sitka alder/skunk cabbage - water parsley community, has a very restricted geographic range---it is only found in the Puget lowlands and is critically imperiled globally. Inventories by two Natural Heritage scientists at the sites indicate that all of these wetland types and plant communities are in excellent condition.

At both sites, the agency will buy parcels from willing sellers that contain additional rare and high quality wetlands or that border the wetlands. This phase of the project will protect the most critical portions of the remaining wetlands at both sites, including two large 160-acre blocks at Ink Blot and thirteen, five-acre lots that border the wetlands at both sites. (02-1115A-FY04)

## Continued: Dept of Natural Resources \$1,002,198 \$0 \$1,002,198

**Bone River and Niawiakum River NAPs** 

This proposal is for acquisition of high priority properties within two coastal Natural Area Preserves that include the Bone and Niawiakum Rivers. These coastal wetlands and estuary ecosystems are the highest quality examples remaining of native coastal salt marsh communities. The wetlands of the Bone River and Niawiakum River preserves are recognized as national priorities for protection, as evidenced by past and current USFWS grants awarded for coastal wetland acquisition at both sites. It is critical to secure additional funding to pursue acquisition of the remaining undeveloped lands, which are threatened with conversion to incompatible and/or ecologically irreversible uses, such as residential development. (02-1090A-FY04)

Remaining Dept of Fish & Wildlife \$2,331,756 \$0 \$2,331,756

Alternates: Lummi Island

(02-1194A-FY04)

Dept of Natural Resources \$3,545,986 \$0 \$3,545,986

Stavis NRCA / Kitsap Forest NAP

(02-1184A-FY04)

\$45,700

#### **Urban Wildlife Habitat**

Project Sponsor and Name	WWRP Share	Sponsor Share	Total Cost
Total Recommended	\$3,150,000	\$0	\$3,150,000
Total Alternates	\$15,734,991	\$7,442,227	\$23,177,218
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#### FY-04 Projects:

Dept of Natural Resources \$3,150,000 \$0 \$3,150,000 Mount Si NRCA

This project secures privately owned properties for inclusion in the Mount Si Natural Resources Conservation Area (NRCA). The area includes outstanding geologic features, old-growth forest, wildflower communities, and habitat for mountain goat, peregrine falcon, bears, coyotes, cougar, bobcat, deer, elk and a multitude of birds and small mammals. Located just thirty miles east of Seattle, Mount Si NRCA is an extremely popular destination providing numerous outdoor recreation opportunities.

Properties proposed for acquisition are threatened with conversion to incompatible and ecologically irreversible uses such as mining and residential and commercial development. Proposed additions to the NRCA will help connect the NRCA to other natural areas in the Cascade Mountains, including the Middle Fork of the Snoqualmie River, the Alpine Lakes Wilderness Area, and the Evergreen Forest Trust land. (02-1180A-FY04)

#### Alternates: Dept of

## Dept of Natural Resources \$45,700 \$0 Mount Si NRCA

Continue acquisition of properties in the Mount Si Natural Resources Conservation Area (NRCA). (02-1180A-FY04)

#### Dept of Fish & Wildlife \$2,762,486 \$0 \$2,762,486 Saltese Flats Phase 2

This combination project in Spokane County secures and develops Saltese Flats as a unique opportunity near an urban community. In eastern Washington, few large wetlands remain in urban areas. The historical use of Saltese Flats as a migratory waterfowl area makes the preservation of this area even more important. Thousands of birds depend on this area for food and refuge every year. More than fourteen species show up every year, including Tundra and Trumpeter Swans. Migratory shorebirds visit the flats alongside the waterfowl. Mink, muskrat and beaver are present. Many predators can be observed, including an unusually high number of raptors such as bald and golden eagle, and peregrine and prairie falcon. Coyotes, bobcats, and cougar frequently hunt in the area.

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Saltese Flats consists of three main areas: a southern pristine marshy area, a northern area with large vernal lakes, small year-around ponds, and a central area that has been ditched and diked. Heavy grazing occurs on all three sections. The flats are slowly being degraded and destroyed by urban development. Rich topsoil is removed every day. Numerous new houses are popping up on its borders, with many more planned in the future. With the purchase and restoration of all three sections, Saltese Flats could become a showcase wetland area. It could provide a unique environmental education center for thousands of school-age children. The rich biological diversity of the area would be preserved. Site development would include fencing, nest boxes, low-impact trails and interpretive facilities, kiosks, and parking. (02-1100C-FY04)

## Dept of Fish & Wildlife \$1,046,850 \$0 \$1,046,850 Tahuya River & Mission Creek

This project targets 435 acres of key stream corridors and wetlands containing fish and wildlife hotspots in Mission Creek and the Tahuya River - the largest and one of the most important rivers on the Kitsap Peninsula. This is the fourth phase in a successful, long-term, multi-agency, private-public effort to protect the best remaining habitat for Hood Canal salmonids and other wildlife on the peninsula.

The project is sponsored by the Hood Canal Salmon Sanctuary (HCSS), consisting of the Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife, University of Washington, Department of Natural Resources, Kitsap County, Point No Point Treaty Council, Port Gamble S'Klallam Tribe, Great Peninsula Conservancy, and Hood Canal Environmental Council. Since 1996 HCSS has purchased 702 acres of prime fish and wildlife habitat in this and adjacent watersheds using state and local funds.

This area provides spawning and rearing habitat for coho, cutthroat and steelhead, and indirect habitat for threatened Hood Canal summer chum and Puget Sound chinook. This area contains stream reaches that provide unusually high-densities of salmon spawning. In addition to these aquatic species, this area may be utilized by several threatened and candidate terrestrial species, including: birds (bald eagles, pileated woodpecker, purple martin), amphibians (western toad and red-legged frog), and mammals (Keen's myotis and Yuma myotis--bats). (02-1133A-FY04)

# Dept of Natural Resources \$1,202,391 \$0 \$1,202,391 Woodard Bay NRCA

This project in Thurston County will secure additional shoreline and enhance the Woodard Bay Natural Resource Conservation Area and the viability of the urban wildlife habitat in a rapidly developing residential area. Land acquisition will ensure that the site continues to provide important habitat for wildlife, including nesting bald eagles, a significant heron rookery and the largest harbor seal nursery in south Puget Sound. With habitat ranging from shoreline to wetlands to mature second growth forest, homes for shorebirds and songbirds, river otters and a maternity colony of bats will continue to be protected at Woodard Bay NRCA.

#### Continued:

Located within minutes of downtown Olympia and Lacey, the NRCA offers many opportunities for environmental education, nature study, walking and bird watching. Nature trails will continue to reward visitors with views of tideland, old growth cedar and a myriad of wildlife. (02-1098A-FY04)

Remaining
Alternates:

Dept of Natural Resources West Tiger Mountain NRCA (02-1187A-FY04)	\$1,144,000	\$0	\$1,144,000
Dept of Fish & Wildlife Lower Nooksack Inholdings (02-1102A-FY04)	\$622,125	\$0	\$622,125
King Co Water & Land Res Issaquah Creek - Log Cabin Rea (02-1313A-FY04)	\$445,925 ach Acq	\$1,180,000	\$1,625,925
Kitsap County Parks and Rec Lost Continent of Illahee Waters (02-1352A-FY04)	\$861,050 shed	\$861,050	\$1,722,100
City of Sammamish Beaver Lake Natural Area Prese (02-1221A-FY04)	\$1,513,862 erve Ph 2	\$1,513,862	\$3,027,724
City of North Bend North Bend Wildlife Corridor (02-1026A-FY04)	\$1,200,000	\$2,284,800	\$3,484,800
Dept of Fish & Wildlife Bear Creek Wetlands (02-1188A-FY04)	\$3,292,537	\$0	\$3,292,537
Kirkland Community Services Juanita Woodlands Acquisition (02-1284A-FY04)	\$995,550	\$1,000,000	\$1,995,550
Town of Woodway Woodway Reserve (02-1168C-FY04)	\$602,515	\$602,515	\$1,205,030

## WWRP PROJECT TABLES, BY CATEGORY

The following pages show the recommended Washington Wildlife and Recreation Program projects for first year (FY-2004) by statutory category at the \$30 million funding level. Outdoor Recreation Account projects are listed first, followed by the Habitat Conservation Account.

# Interagency Committee for Outdoor Recreation Washington Wildlife and Recreation Program Local Parks Category Fiscal Year 2002

			Request	IAC	Sponsor	Total
Proj#	Project Sponsor	Project Name	to IAC	Recom	<u>Share</u>	Cost
02-1372 D	Pierce County Parks & Rec	Sprinker Skate Park	275,000	275,000	275,000	550,000
02-1149 D	Kennewick Parks & Rec Dept	Highlands Grange Park Improvements	300,000	300,000	300,000	600,000
02-1367 A	Lakewood City of	Springbrook Park Expansion	117,000	117,000	117,000	234,000
02-1035 D	Brewster City of	Brewster Soccer Fields	56,250	56,250	56,250	112,500
02-1227 D	Marcus City of	Marcus Central Park	18,000	18,000	18,000	36,000
02-1307 D	Prosser City of	Prosser Skatepark - Phase 1	60,000	60,000	60,000	120,000
02-1301 D	Port Townsend City of	Monroe Street Skate Park	200,000	200,000	200,000	400,000
02-1196 D	Vancouver Parks & Rec Dept	Haagen Park	300,000	300,000	1,879,815	2,179,815
02-1117 A	Lynnwood Parks, Rec & Clt Arts	Tutmark Hill Community Park	295,075	295,075	1,879,000	2,174,075
02-1268 D	Lacey City of	Rainier Vista Community Park Development	300,000	300,000	3,067,706	3,367,706
02-1211 D	Montesano Parks & Rec Dept	Montesano Community Park Development	300,000	300,000	929,152	1,229,152
02-1270 D	Lacey City of	Wonderwood Community Park	275,000	275,000	544,920	819,920
02-1183 A	Vancouver Parks & Rec Dept	Maple Crest Park	241,141	241,141	241,141	482,282
02-1296 D	Buckley City of	Buckley/White River Multi-Use Skate Park	235,225	235,225	235,225	470,450
02-1311 D	Skagit County Parks & Rec	Custer Field Renovation	150,000	150,000	165,000	315,000
02-1329 D	Twisp Town of	Twisp Park Playground & Basketball Court	35,000	35,000	35,000	70,000
02-1213 D	Clark County Parks Dept	Salmon Creek Park Development	277,866	277,866	277,866	555,732
02-1047 C	Winthrop Town of	Winthrop Community Park and Ice Rink	375,000	375,000	426,000	801,000
02-1175 A	Kent Parks Rec & Comm Serv	Morrill Meadows/E. Hill Park Connection	275,660	275,660	275,660	551,320
02-1151 D	Kennewick Parks & Rec Dept	Zintel Canyon Greenway (7th - Anderson)	100,000	100,000	100,000	200,000
02-1236 D	Benton City City of	Benton City Skate Park	97,728	97,728	105,000	202,728
02-1339 A	Bellingham Parks & Rec Dept	Squalicum Fields Acquisition	500,000	28,555	201,711	230,266
02-1304 D	Bothell Parks & Recreation	Cedar Grove Park Development Ph. 1	300,000			
02-1271 A	Covington City of	Jenkins Creek Park Acquisition	500,000			
02-1230 C	Kent Parks Rec & Comm Serv	Kent East Hill "X" Park	465,000			
02-1326 D	Wilson Creek Town of	Wilson Creek Skate Park	35,844			
02-1167 A	Vancouver Parks & Rec Dept	Lynch Park	419,476			
02-1019 D	La Conner Town of	LaConner/Swinomish Skate Park	98,000			
02-1062 D	Bremerton Parks & Rec Dept	Maritime Park	300,000			
02-1171 D	Tukwila Parks & Rec Dept	Showalter Playfield Lights	100,000			
02-1328 D	Auburn Parks & Rec Dept	Olson Farm Development	241,203			
02-1191 A	Vancouver Parks & Rec Dept	Hockinson Park	497,094			
02-1048 A	Seattle Parks & Rec Dept	Northgate Park Acquisition	500,000			
02-1058 D	Island County Parks & Rec	Saratoga Woods Preserve Development	69,160			
02-1320 D	Castle Rock City of	Castle Rock Skate/BMX Park	159,247			
02-1065 A	Fife Parks & Recreation	North County Regional Soccer Park	500,000			
02-1140 D	Tacoma Public Works	Thea Foss Waterway - 21st Street Park	300,000			
02-1066 A	Kitsap County Parks and Rec	Coulter Creek Heritage Park	500,000			
02-1052 D	Seattle Parks & Rec Dept	University PG Park Landmark Fencing	150,000			
02-1353 C	Kitsap County Parks and Rec	Illahee Park Acquisition & Development	500,000			
02-1285 A 02-1153 D	Mount Vernon City of	Higgins Property Acquisition	267,840			
	Longview-Kelso Parks and Rec Mount Vernon City of	Cowlitz River Park	92,143			
02-1294 A	•	Little Mountain Park Expansion	257,000			
02-1255 A	Milton City of	Triangle Park Phase II	42,995	4 240 500	44 200 440	45 704 040
Total			11,078,947	4,312,500	11,389,446	15,701,946

## **Interagency Committee for Outdoor Recreation Washington Wildlife and Recreation Program State Parks Category** Fiscal Year 2002

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# Interagency Committee for Outdoor Recreation Washington Wildlife and Recreation Program Trails Category Fiscal Year 2002

			Request	IAC	Sponsor	Total
Proj#	Project Sponsor	Project Name	to IAC	Recom	<u>Share</u>	Cost
02-1076 D	Shoreline Parks & Rec Dept	Shoreline Interurban Trail Crossing	1,581,773	1,581,773	1,802,490	3,384,263
02-1034 D	Pierce County Parks & Rec	Buckley to South Prairie Foothills Trail	750,000	750,000	1,826,675	2,576,675
02-1212 D	Enumclaw Parks & Rec Dept	Enumclaw Trail Development - Phase 1	127,500	127,500	153,000	280,500
02-1332 D	Bellingham Parks & Rec Dept	South Bay Trail - Missing Link	800,000	728,227	1,192,651	1,920,878
02-1085 D	Redmond Parks & Rec Dept	Bear Creek Park Trail Development	180,000			
02-1244 D	State Parks	Columbia Plateau Trail, Phase 4	1,175,750			
02-1263 A	Milton City of	Interurban Trail Trailhead	31,495			
02-1219 D	State Parks	Iron Horse - Cle Elum to Ellensburg	697,490			
02-1298 A	Lacey City of	Lacey Burlington Northern Trail Land Acq	410,279			
02-1371 C	Pullman City of	Downtown Pullman Riverwalk	340,000			
02-1366 C	Jamestown S'Klallam Tribe	ODT Railroad Bridge Trailhead Parking	98,800			
02-1292 C	Jefferson Co Public Works	Larry Scott Trail Dev. Segments 3 & 4	382,424			
02-1176 D	Edmonds Parks & Rec Dept	Edmonds Interurban Trail	256,587			
02-1068 A	Kitsap County Parks and Rec	Coulter Creek Heritage Park Trail	700,000			
02-1077 D	Benton Port of	North Richland Trail Connections	200,000			
02-1288 A	Jefferson Co Public Works	Larry Scott Trail Segment 4 Acquisition	81,380			
02-1137 D	Transportation Dept of	I-90: High Point to Preston Trail	1,790,898			
02-1327 D	Warden City of	Heritage Trail	147,800			
Total			9,752,176	3,187,500	4,974,816	8,162,316

## **Interagency Committee for Outdoor Recreation Washington Wildlife and Recreation Program Water Access Category** Fiscal Year 2002

Proj #	Project Sponsor	<u>Project Name</u>	Request to IAC	IAC <u>Recom</u>	Sponsor <u>Share</u>	Total <u>Cost</u>
02-1208 A	Puyallup City of	Palmer Property Acquisition	88,600	88,600	100,000	188,600
02-1312 D	Port Townsend City of	NWMC Shoreline Access Improvements	154,495	154,495	154,495	308,990
02-1216 D	Clark County Parks Dept	Cottonwood Beach	854,800	595,505	696,660	1,292,165
02-1370 A	Kitsap County Parks and Rec	Anderson Point	516,023	516,023	516,023	1,032,046
02-1049 D	Seattle Parks & Rec Dept	Sand Point North Shore Development	500,000			
02-1074 A	Spokane County Parks & Rec	Spokane River Land Acquisition	1,073,188	520,377	520,377	1,040,754
02-1349 A	Kitsap County Parks and Rec	Wicks Lake Expansion	441,000			
02-1309 A	Jefferson Co Public Works	Port Hadlock Waterfront Access & Pier	68,450			
Total			3,696,556	1,875,000	1,987,555	3,862,555

# Interagency Committee for Outdoor Recreation Washington Wildlife and Recreation Program Critical Habitat Category Fiscal Year 2002

			Request	IAC	Sponsor	Total
Proj#	Project Sponsor	Project Name	to IAC	Recom	<u>Share</u>	Cost
02-1109 A	Fish & Wildlife Dept of	Western Pond Turtle Phase 3	258,405	258,405		258,405
02-1111 A	Fish & Wildlife Dept of	Rattlesnake Mountain	3,828,337	3,828,337		3,828,337
02-1162 A	Fish & Wildlife Dept of	Pygmy Rabbit	797,160	797,160		797,160
02-1101 A	Fish & Wildlife Dept of	Dungeness River Match	1,227,862	1,227,862	2,775,000	4,002,862
02-1160 A	Fish & Wildlife Dept of	Tieton River Canyon	2,548,980	938,236		938,236
02-1199 A	Fish & Wildlife/Natural Resources	S. Puget Sound Prairies & Oak Woodland	5,676,432			
02-1110 A	Fish & Wildlife Dept of	Methow Watershed Phase 3	2,892,214			
02-1190 A	Fish & Wildlife Dept of	Asotin Creek Watershed	3,813,652			
02-1178 A	Fish & Wildlife Dept of	Hood Canal Plateau	1,372,900			
02-1107 A	Fish & Wildlife Dept of	Sharp-tailed Grouse Phase 4	3,627,855			
02-1158 A	Fish & Wildlife Dept of	Upper Yakima River Acquisitions	2,215,815			
02-1096 C	Fish & Wildlife Dept of	Grays Harbor Estuary	2,428,836			
02-1104 A	Fish & Wildlife Dept of	Lower Skagit River Ecosystem	3,074,662			
02-1173 A	Fish & Wildlife Dept of	Lyre River Corridor	2,896,320			
02-1108 A	Fish & Wildlife Dept of	Tarpiscan Creek	429,712			
02-1143 A	Fish & Wildlife Dept of	Cowiche Watershed	2,110,710			
Total			39,199,852	7,050,000	2,775,000	9,825,000

## **Interagency Committee for Outdoor Recreation Washington Wildlife and Recreation Program Natural Areas Category** Fiscal Year 2002

			Request	IAC	Sponsor	Total
Proj#	Project Sponsor	Project Name	to IAC	Recom	<u>Share</u>	Cost
02-1045 A	Natural Resources Dept of	Washougal Oaks NAP/NRCA	2,432,193	2,432,193		2,432,193
02-1070 A	Natural Resources Dept of	Elk River NRCA	2,616,000	2,367,807		2,367,807
02-1089 A	Natural Resources Dept of	Cypress Island Natural Area	1,628,786			
02-1115 A	Natural Resources Dept of	Ink Blot and Shumocher Creek NAPs	2,717,452			
02-1090 A	Natural Resources Dept of	Bone River and Niawiakum River NAPs	1,002,198			
02-1194 A	Fish & Wildlife Dept of	Lummi Island	2,331,756			
02-1184 A	Natural Resources Dept of	Stavis NRCA / Kitsap Forest NAP	3,545,986			
Total			16,274,371	4,800,000	0	4,800,000

# Interagency Committee for Outdoor Recreation Washington Wildlife and Recreation Program Urban Wildlife Habitat Category Fiscal Year 2002

			Request	IAC	Sponsor	Total
Proj#	Project Sponsor	Project Name	to IAC	Recom	<u>Share</u>	Cost
02-1180 A	Natural Resources Dept of	Mount Si NRCA	3,195,700	3,150,000		3,150,000
02-1100 C	Fish & Wildlife Dept of	Saltese Flats Phase 2	2,762,486			
02-1133 A	Fish & Wildlife Dept of	Tahuya River & Mission Creek	1,046,850			
02-1098 A	Natural Resources Dept of	Woodard Bay NRCA	1,202,391			
02-1187 A	Natural Resources Dept of	West Tiger Mountain NRCA	1,144,000			
02-1102 A	Fish & Wildlife Dept of	Lower Nooksack Inholdings	622,125			
02-1313 A	King Co Water & Land Res	Issaquah Creek - Log Cabin Reach Acq	445,925			
02-1352 A	Kitsap County Parks and Rec	Lost Continent of Illahee Watershed	861,050			
02-1221 A	Sammamish City of	Beaver Lake Natural Area Preserve Ph 2	1,513,862			
02-1026 A	North Bend City of	North Bend Wildlife Corridor	1,200,000			
02-1188 A	Fish & Wildlife Dept of	Bear Creek Wetlands	3,292,537			
02-1284 A	Kirkland Community Services	Juanita Woodlands Acquisition	995,550			
02-1168 C	Woodway Town of	Woodway Reserve	602,515			
Total			18,884,991	3,150,000	0	3,150,000

## RECOMMENDED AND ALTERNATE PROJECTS **BY COUNTY**

Sponsor	Project Name	Program	<b>Funding Status</b>
Asotin County			
Dept of Fish & Wildlife	Asotin Creek Watershed	WWRP - CH	Alternate Project
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Benton County	D 4 07 01 4 D 4	1444/DD 1 D	- " - · · ·
City of Benton City	Benton City Skate Park	WWRP - LP	Funding Recommended
Kennewick Parks & Rec Dept	Highlands Grange Park Improvements	WWRP - LP	Funding Recommended
Port of Benton	North Richland Trail Connections	WWRP - TR	Alternate Project
City of Prosser	Prosser Skatepark - Phase 1 Rattlesnake Mountain	WWRP - LP WWRP - CH	Funding Recommended Funding Recommended
Dept of Fish & Wildlife		WWRP - CH WWRP - LP	•
Kennewick Parks & Rec Dept	Zintel Canyon Greenway (7th - Anderson)	WWRP - LP	Funding Recommended
Clallam County			
Dept of Fish & Wildlife	Dungeness River Match	WWRP - CH	Funding Recommended
Dept of Fish & Wildlife	Lyre River Corridor	WWRP - CH	Alternate Project
State Parks	Miller Peninsula - Pacific Aerospace	WWRP - SP	Alternate Project
Jamestown S'Klallam Tribe	ODT Railroad Bridge Trailhead Parking	WWRP - TR	Alternate Project
Clark County			
Clark County Parks Dept	Cottonwood Beach	WWRP - WA	Funding Recommended
Vancouver Parks & Rec Dept	Haagen Park	WWRP - LP	Funding Recommended
Vancouver Parks & Rec Dept	Hockinson Park	WWRP - LP	Alternate Project
Vancouver Parks & Rec Dept	Lynch Park	WWRP - LP	Alternate Project
Vancouver Parks & Rec Dept	Maple Crest Park	WWRP - LP	Funding Recommended
Clark County Parks Dept	Salmon Creek Park Development	WWRP - LP	Funding Recommended
Dept of Natural Resources	Washougal Oaks NAP/NRCA	WWRP - NA	Funding Recommended
Cowlitz County			
Castle Rock City of	Castle Rock Skate/BMX Park	WWRP - LP	Alternate Project
Longview-Kelso Parks & Rec	Cowlitz River Park	WWRP - LP	Alternate Project
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Douglas County	B	\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\	
Dept of Fish & Wildlife	Pygmy Rabbit	WWRP - CH	Funding Recommended
Dept of Fish & Wildlife	Sharp-tailed Grouse Phase 4	WWRP - CH	Alternate Project
Franklin County			
State Parks	Columbia Plateau Trail, Phase 4	WWRP - TR	Alternate Project
Crant Country			
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City of Warden	Heritage Trail	WWRP - TR	Alternate Project
Dept of Fish & Wildlife	Pygmy Rabbit	WWRP - CH	Funding Recommended
Town of Wilson Creek	Wilson Creek Skate Park	WWRP - LP	Alternate Project

Sponsor	Project Name	Program	Funding Status
Grays Harbor County Dept of Natural Resources Dept of Fish & Wildlife Montecopy Parks & Res Port	Elk River NRCA Grays Harbor Estuary	WWRP - NA WWRP - CH	Funding Recommended Alternate Project
Montesano Parks & Rec Dept	Montesano Community Park Development	WWRP - LP	Funding Recommended
Island County			
State Parks Island County Parks & Rec	Deception Pass - Sunrise Resort Property Saratoga Woods Preserve Development	WWRP - SP WWRP - LP	Funding Recommended Alternate Project
Jefferson County			
Jefferson Co Public Works Jefferson Co Public Works City of Port Townsend City of Port Townsend Jefferson Co Public Works	Larry Scott Trail Dev. Segments 3 & 4 Larry Scott Trail Segment 4 Acquisition Monroe Street Skate Park NWMC Shoreline Access Improvements Port Hadlock Waterfront Access & Pier	WWRP - TR WWRP - TR WWRP - LP WWRP - WA WWRP - WA	Alternate Project Alternate Project Funding Recommended Funding Recommended Alternate Project
King County			
Redmond Parks & Rec Dept Dept of Fish & Wildlife City of Sammamish Enumclaw Parks & Rec Dept State Parks Dept of Transportation City of Milton King Co Water & Land Res City of Covington Kirkland Community Services Kent Parks Rec & Comm Serv Kent Parks Rec & Comm Serv Dept of Natural Resources City of North Bend Seattle Parks & Rec Dept Auburn Parks & Rec Dept Seattle Parks & Rec Dept Tukwila Parks & Rec Dept Seattle Parks & Rec Dept		WWRP - TR WWRP - UW WWRP - TR WWRP - SP WWRP - TR WWRP - TR WWRP - TR WWRP - UW WWRP - LP WWRP - LP WWRP - LP WWRP - UW WWRP - LP WWRP - LP WWRP - LP WWRP - TR WWRP - TR WWRP - TR	Alternate Project Alternate Project Alternate Project Funding Recommended Funding Recommended Alternate Project Funding Recommended Funding Recommended Alternate Project Funding Recommended Alternate Project Funding Recommended Alternate Project Alternate Project
Kitsap County Kitsap County Parks and Rec Dept of Fish & Wildlife Kitsap County Parks and Rec Kitsap County Parks and Rec	West Tiger Mountain NRCA  Anderson Point Coulter Creek Heritage Park Coulter Creek Heritage Park Trail Hood Canal Plateau Illahee Park Acquisition & Development Lost Continent of Illahee Watershed	WWRP - UW  WWRP - WA  WWRP - LP  WWRP - TR  WWRP - CH  WWRP - LP  WWRP - LP	Alternate Project  Funding Recommended Alternate Project Alternate Project Alternate Project Alternate Project Alternate Project Alternate Project

Sponsor	Project Name	Program	Funding Status
Bremerton Parks & Rec Dept	Maritime Park	WWRP - LP	Alternate Project
Dept of Natural Resources	Stavis NRCA / Kitsap Forest NAP	WWRP - NA	Alternate Project
Dept of Fish & Wildlife	Tahuya River & Mission Creek	WWRP - UW	Alternate Project
Kitsap County Parks and Rec	Wicks Lake Expansion	WWRP - WA	Alternate Project
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Kittitas County			
State Parks	Iron Horse - Cle Elum to Ellensburg	WWRP - TR	Alternate Project
Dept of Fish & Wildlife	Tarpiscan Creek	WWRP - CH	Alternate Project
Dept of Fish & Wildlife	Upper Yakima River Acquisitions	WWRP - CH	Alternate Project
Klickitat County			
Dept of Fish & Wildlife	Western Pond Turtle Phase 3	WWRP - CH	Funding Recommended
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Lincoln County			
State Parks	Fish Trap Lake Resort	WWRP - SP	Alternate Project
Mason County			
Dept of Natural Resources	Ink Blot and Shumocher Creek NAPs	WWRP - NA	Alternate Project
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Okanogan County			
City of Brewster	Brewster Soccer Fields	WWRP - LP	Funding Recommended
Dept of Fish & Wildlife	Methow Watershed Phase 3	WWRP - CH	Alternate Project
Town of Twisp	Twisp Park Playground & Basketball Court	WWRP - LP	Funding Recommended
Town of Winthrop	Winthrop Community Park and Ice Rink	WWRP - LP	Funding Recommended
Pacific County			
Dept of Natural Resources	Bone River and Niawiakum River NAPs	WWRP - NA	Alternate Project
State Parks	Fort Canby - Seaview Dunes	WWRP - SP	Alternate Project
State Parks	Fort Canby - Realvest Upland	WWRP - SP	Alternate Project
State Parks	Grayland Beach - Campground Development	WWRP - SP	Funding Recommended
Pierce County			
Pierce County Parks & Rec	Buckley to South Prairie Foothills Trail	WWRP - TR	Funding Recommended
City of Buckley	Buckley/White River Multi-Use Skate Park	WWRP - LP	Funding Recommended
State Parks	Haley Development Phase 2	WWRP - SP	Alternate Project
State Parks	Nisqually-Mashel - 03-05 Acquisition	WWRP - SP	Alternate Project
Fife Parks & Recreation	North County Regional Soccer Park	WWRP - LP	Alternate Project
City of Puyallup	Palmer Property Acquisition	WWRP - WA	Funding Recommended
City of Lakewood	Springbrook Park Expansion	WWRP - LP	Funding Recommended
Pierce County Parks & Rec	Sprinker Skate Park	WWRP - LP	Funding Recommended
Tacoma Public Works	Thea Foss Waterway - 21st Street Park	WWRP - LP	Alternate Project
City of Milton	Triangle Park Phase II	WWRP - LP	Alternate Project

Sponsor	Project Name	Program	Funding Status
Skagit County			
Skagit County Parks & Rec	Custer Field Renovation	WWRP - LP	Funding Recommended
Dept of Natural Resources	Cypress Island Natural Area	WWRP - NA	Alternate Project
State Parks	Deception Pass - Maryott Property	WWRP - SP	Alternate Project
State Parks	Deception Pass - Stavig Property	WWRP - SP	Alternate Project
City of Mount Vernon	Higgins Property Acquisition	WWRP - LP	Alternate Project
Town of La Conner	LaConner/Swinomish Skate Park	WWRP - LP	Alternate Project
City of Mount Vernon	Little Mountain Park Expansion	WWRP - LP	Alternate Project
Dept of Fish & Wildlife	Lower Skagit River Ecosystem	WWRP - CH	Alternate Project
Dept of Fish & Whalle	Lower Gragit Niver Leosystem	WWW - OH	Alternate i Toject
<b>Snohomish County</b>			
Bothell Parks & Recreation	Cedar Grove Park Development Ph. 1	WWRP - LP	Alternate Project
Edmonds Parks & Rec Dept	Edmonds Interurban Trail	WWRP - TR	Alternate Project
Lynnwood Parks & Rec	Tutmark Hill Community Park	WWRP - LP	Funding Recommended
Town of Woodway	Woodway Reserve	WWRP - UW	Alternate Project
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Spokane County			
State Parks	Fish Trap Lake Resort	WWRP - SP	Alternate Project
Dept of Fish & Wildlife	Saltese Flats Phase 2	WWRP - UW	Alternate Project
Spokane County Parks & Rec	Spokane River Land Acquisition	WWRP - WA	Funding Recommended
Stavena County			
Stevens County		MANDD 1.D	
City of Marcus	Marcus Central Park	WWRP - LP	Funding Recommended
Thurston County			
City of Lacey	Lacey Burlington Northern Trail Land Acq	WWRP - TR	Alternate Project
City of Lacey	Rainier Vista Community Park Development	WWRP - LP	Funding Recommended
Dept of Fish & Wildlife	S. Puget Sound Prairies & Oak Woodland	WWRP - CH	Alternate Project
City of Lacey	Wonderwood Community Park	WWRP - LP	Funding Recommended
Dept of Natural Resources	Woodard Bay NRCA	WWRP - UW	Alternate Project
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Whatcom County			
Dept of Fish & Wildlife	Lower Nooksack Inholdings	WWRP - UW	Alternate Project
Dept of Fish & Wildlife	Lummi Island	WWRP – NA	Alternate Project
Bellingham Parks & Rec Dept	South Bay Trail - Missing Link	WWRP – TR	Funding Recommended
Bellingham Parks & Rec Dept	Squalicum Fields Acquisition	WWRP – LP	Funding Recommended
Whitman County			
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City of Pullman	Downtown Pullman Riverwalk	WWRP – TR	Alternate Project
Yakima County			
Dept of Fish & Wildlife	Cowiche Watershed	WWRP - CH	Alternate Project
Dept of Fish & Wildlife	Tieton River Canyon	WWRP - CH	Funding Recommended
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Statewide			
State Parks	Statewide Adjacent & Inholdings	WWRP - SP	Funding Recommended

## FY 2004 ALLOCATION SUMMARY CHART RECOMMENDED PROJECTS

Category / Organization	Local Agencies	Natural Resources	Fish and Wildlife	State Parks	Total*
Local Parks	4,312,500				4,312,500
State Parks				4,687,500	4,687,500
Trails	3,187,500				3,187,500
Water Access	1,875,000				1,875,000
Critical Habitat			7,050,000		7,050,000
Natural Areas		4,800,000			4,800,000
Urban Wildlife		3,150,000			3,150,000
Total	9,375,000	7,950,000	7,050,000	4,687,500	29,062,500

<sup>\*\$937,500</sup> is reserved for second year Local Park acquisition projects.